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PREFACE

More books passed over the desks of Illinois libraries last year than in any previous year, according to the reports contained in the 1941 statistical compilation presented here. This is despite the fact that use of libraries is said to decline with any upsurge of business activity.

The total increase can largely be attributed to the demands of national defense, although the establishment of three new libraries has contributed. New industries coming into the state have added many families in some communities, overtaxing library resources. Throughout the state, libraries have reported an increased demand for technical books and books about jobs to supply workers in defense industries. Libraries near army camps have been pressed for educational and recreational material. This increased demand for books has not always been met by a larger library budget.

The increased demand on public libraries and the rising interest of rural people in reading has had the effect of expanding the circulation of the Illinois State Library (See Statistics p. 4).

Despite the steady increase in the use of libraries in Illinois over a period of years figures here reveal that only one sixth of the total population of the State hold cards in libraries. Many of these persons without cards, of course, live in areas not served by libraries and must rely on the State Library for books. Yet it is startling to learn that only one-fourth of the persons living in library-served areas hold cards in their local libraries. This suggests a real need for public relations activities at home. How does your library stand?

The 1941 statistical report for the first time offers figures for the 12-month period just passed (ending April 30, 1941). In former compilations some reports included were as old as two years.

Bringing the statistics of libraries up-to-date was made possible by a prompt mailing of reports from many libraries* and by the special effort of the field visitor to public libraries who has organized the statistical information.

The arrangement of information this year is by region, to promote thinking in terms of regional areas. The *American Library Association Minimum Standard of Public Libraries* is again presented for purposes of individual comparison. New information includes a list of *Friends of the Libraries,* camp libraries and librarians, and libraries cooperating with the State Library in the reading course program. College and University figures are not given here but will be presented again in 1942.

—HELENE H. ROGERS,
Assistant State Librarian.

* The law governing public libraries requires the filing of an annual report with the Illinois State Library which furnishes the form blanks.

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STATISTICS

July 1, 1940—June 30, 1941

Resources (cataloged—other than archival material)	
Books and bound periodicals	195,470
Documents and pamphlets	185,271
Pictures	23,732
Current periodicals	766
The Catalog	
Items cataloged	30,669
Items recataloged including old material never processed)	11,556
Reference requests	
Archives requests	2,896
General requests	23,793
Bibliographies compiled and revised	271
Adult education activities	
Enrollment in reading courses	2,090
Books lent	10,783
Certificates granted	681
Reading material lent	
To individuals	84,906
To schools, communities, etc.	315,027
To WPA and NYA library centers (books lent per month—average)	10,532
Issued from bookmobile (Dec. 1940-Aug. 1941)	26,402
Art material lent	
Requests	1,262
Pictures sent	42,394
Packages shipped	26,700
Exhibits (special and state-wide)	41
Consultant service	
Visits to public libraries	153
Visits to school libraries	807
Staff	
Full time	63
Part time	2
Appropriation (biennial)	$266,894

LIBRARY SERVICE BY REGION

STATE LIBRARY ADVISORY COMMITTEE

CARL B. RODEN, Chairman
District 2 (Chicago)

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District 5 (Highland)

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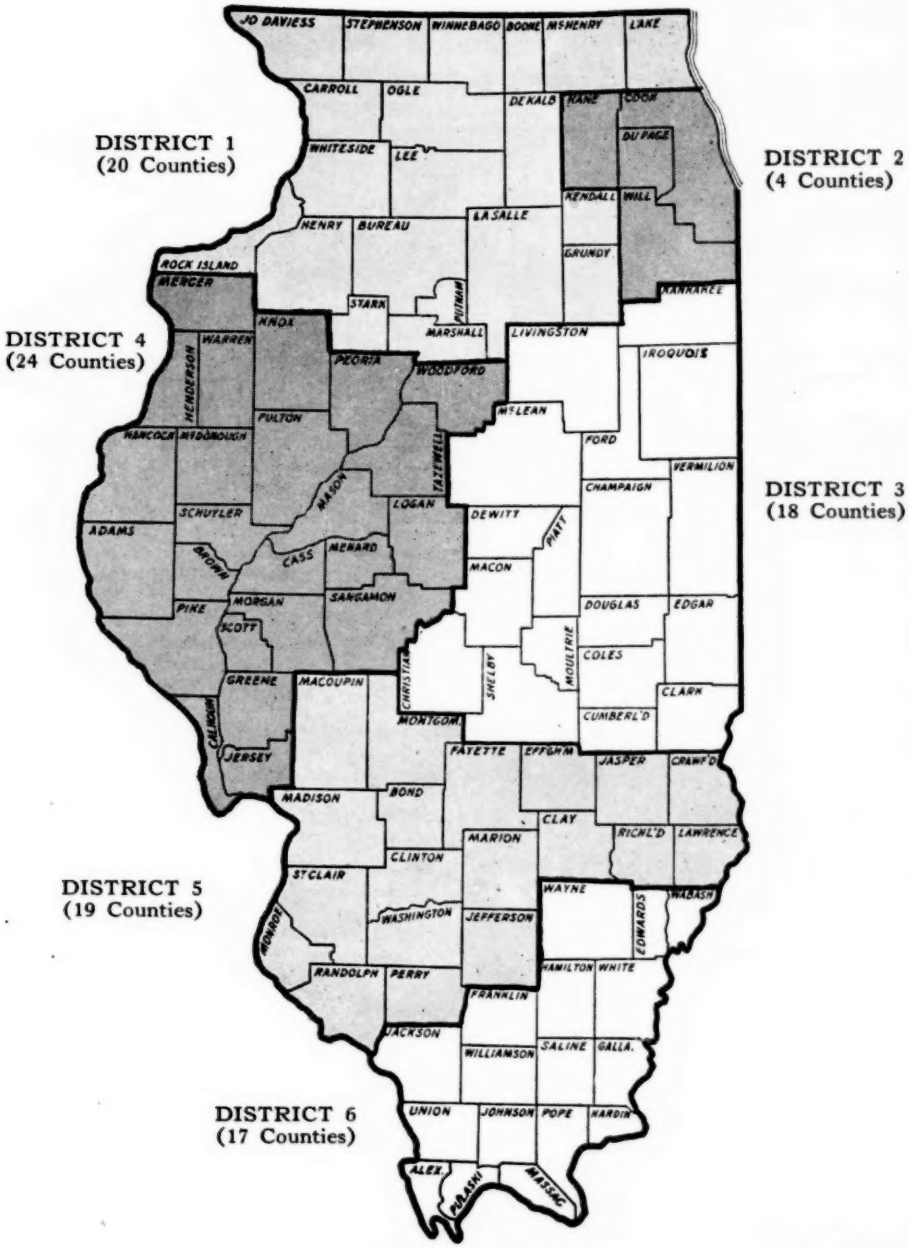
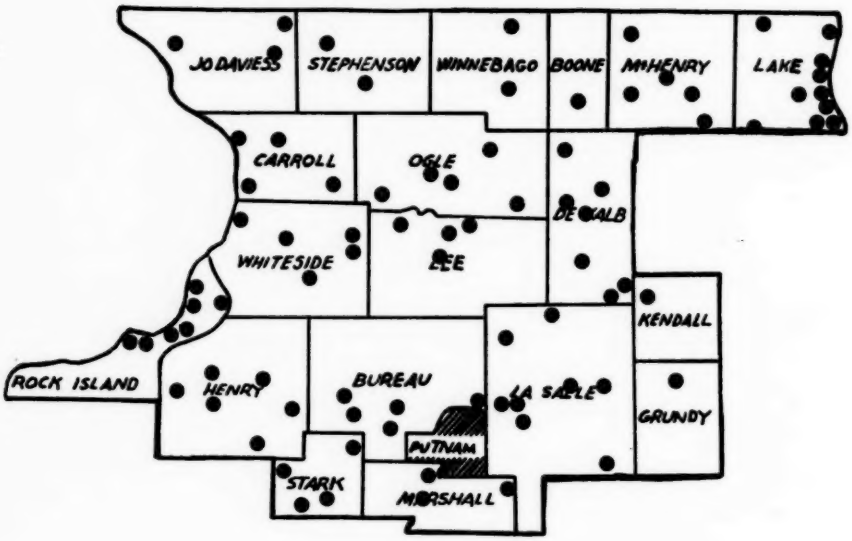
District 6 (Fairfield)

LIBRARY REGIONS



REGION 1



ALICE WILLIAMS, Public Library, Moline

Regional Representative

83 PUBLIC LIBRARIES—20 COUNTIES

Boone County (1)
- Belvidere

Bureau County (5)
- Buda[4]
- Princeton
- Sheffield
- Spring Valley
- Tiskilwa[4]

Carroll County (4)
- Milledgeville[2]
- Mt. Carroll[3]
- Savanna[3]
- Thomson[3]

DeKalb County (7)
- DeKalb
- Kirkland[4]
- Malta[3]
- Sandwich[3]
- Somonauk[4]
- Sycamore
- Waterman[3]

Grundy County (1)
- Morris

Henry County (6)
- Atkinson[3]
- Cambridge[3]
- Galva[3]
- Geneseo[3]
- Kewanee[3]
- Orion[3]

Jo Daviess County (3)
- Galena
- Stockton[3]
- Warren[3]

Kendall County (1)
- Plano[3]

Lake County (9)
- Antioch[3]
- Deerfield[3]
- Highland Park
- Lake Bluff[4]
- Lake Forest
- Libertyville[3]
- North Chicago
- Waukegan
- Zion

LaSalle County (8)
- Earlville[3]
- LaSalle
- Marseilles
- Mendota
- Oglesby
- Ottawa
- Peru
- Streator

Lee County (4)
- Amboy
- Ashton[2]
- Dixon
- Franklin Grove[4]

McHenry County (5)
- Algonquin[4]
- Crystal Lake
- Harvard
- Marengo
- Woodstock

Marshall County (3)
- Henry
- Lacon
- Wenona

Ogle County (5)
- Mt. Morris[4]
- Oregon[3]
- Polo[3]
- Rochelle[3]
- Stillman Valley[4]

Putnam County (1)
- Hennepin[1]

Rock Island County (7)
- Cordova[3]
- East Moline
- Hillsdale[3]
- Moline
- Port Byron[3]
- Rock Island
- Silvis

Stark County (4)	Stephenson County (2)	Whiteside County (5)	Winnebago County (2)
Bradford[4]	Freeport	Fulton	Rockford
LaFayette[4]	Lena[4]	Morrison	Rockton[3]
Toulon		Prophetstown[4]	New library:
Wyoming		Rock Falls[2]	Crystal Lake
		Sterling	

U. S. Army Post Libraries: Rock Island Arsenal, Rock Island. Savanna Proving Ground, Savanna. Camp Grant, Rockford, Winnebago County.

[1]County library.
[2]Endowed library.
[3]Township library.
[4]Village or town library.

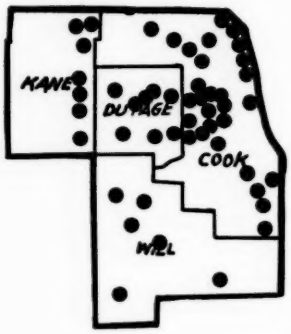
STATISTICAL SUMMARY

	1939	1941
Counties with library service	20	20
Counties without library service	0	0
Counties with bookmobile service (Serviced cooperatively by Illinois State Library, NYA, and County Superintendent of Schools)	1	1
Population served by public libraries, federal agencies	538,082	545,271
Population without library service	279,934	319,709
Total population	818,016	864,980
Tax supported libraries (excluding county library)	79	80
Endowed libraries	2	2
County libraries	1	1
Total number public libraries	82	83
County library stations	7	7
Association libraries	16	15
WPA library centers	17	20
NYA library centers	9	0
Total number communities with service	131	125
Total number communities above 2,500 without public library service		2
Total number incorporated communities	225	223
Total amount spent by public libraries	*$393,389	†$404,662
Per capita	0.48	0.47
Total assessed valuation:		
1937	$708,327,000	
1938	641,035,000	
1939	709,659,000	
Total of book collections in public libraries	**1,041,461	†1,122,203
Total circulation		3,500,589
Per capita		6.5

Schools:	1939	1940	Pupils:	1939	1940
Public	2502	2505		136,560	144,052
Private	97	128		14,921	16,528
Total	2599	2633		151,481	160,580

* No report from 6 libraries.
** No report from 7 libraries.
† No report from 5 libraries.

REGION 2



CARL B. RODEN, Public Library, Chicago
IDA FAYE WRIGHT, Public Library, Evanston
Regional Representatives

51 PUBLIC LIBRARIES—4 COUNTIES

Cook County (30)
- Argo[4]
- Arlington Heights[4]
- Barrington[4]
- Bellwood[4]
- Berwyn
- Blue Island
- Brookfield[4]
- Calumet City
- Chicago
- Chicago Heights
- Cicero[4]
- Des Plaines
- Elmwood Park[4]
- Evanston
- Forest Park[4]
- Glencoe[4]
- Glenview[4]
- Harvey
- Homewood[4]
- La Grange[4]
- Maywood[4]
- Melrose Park[4]
- Oak Park[4]
- Palatine[4]
- Park Ridge
- River Forest[4]
- Riverside[4]
- Western Springs[4]
- Wilmette[4]
- Winnetka[4]

DuPage County (8)
- Downers Grove[4]
- Elmhurst
- Glen Ellyn[4]
- Hinsdale[4]
- Lombard[4]
- Naperville
- West Chicago
- Wheaton

Kane County (7)
- Aurora
- Batavia[3]
- Carpentersville[2]
- Dundee[3]
- Elgin[3]
- Geneva[3]
- St. Charles[3]

Will County (6)
- Joliet
- Lockport[3]
- Manhattan[3]
- Plainfield
- Peotone[3]
- Wilmington[3]

New library:
- Calumet City

U. S. Army Post Libraries: Fort Sheridan, Cook County. Great Lakes Naval Training Station, Waukegan, Lake County.

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[2]Endowed library.
[3]Township library.
[4]Village or town library.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY

	1939	1940
Counties with library service	4	4
Counties without library service	0	0
Counties with bookmobile service (County Superintendent of Schools)	1	1
Population served by public libraries and WPA	4,144,409	4,194,001
Population without library service	165,771	217,237
Total population	4,310,180	4,411,238
Tax supported libraries	47	48
Endowed libraries	3	3
County libraries	0	0
Total number public libraries	50	51
Association libraries	4	4
WPA library centers	22	22
Total number communities with service	76	77
Total number communities above 2,500 without public library service		15
Total number incorporated communities	142	146
Total amount spent by public libraries	**$2,746,852	†$2,824,091
Per capita	0.64	0.64
Total assessed valuation:		
1937	$2,742,498,000	
1938	2,591,881,000	
1939	2,713,392,000	
Total of book collections in public libraries	**2,873,498	†3,014,589
Total circulation		18,562,187
Per capita		4.5

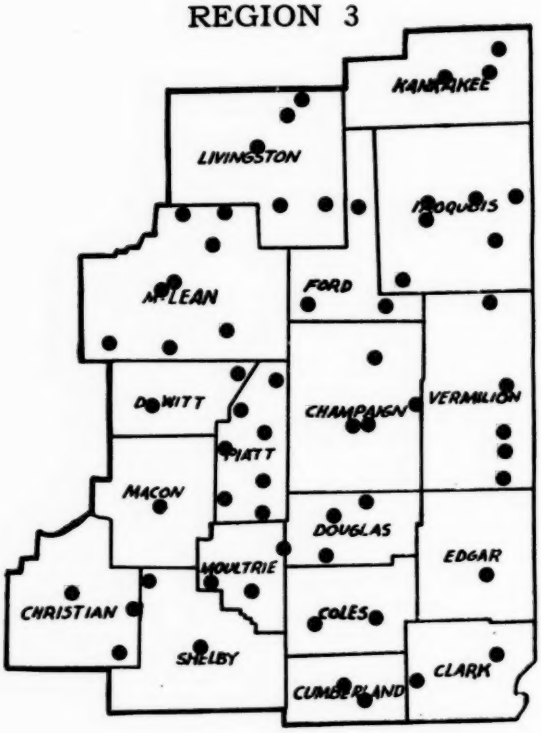
Schools:	1939	1940	Pupils:	1939	1940
Public	566	570		656,345	634,660
Private	*201	*206		*36,345	*34,394
Total	767	776		692,690	669,054

* No reports from private schools in Chicago.

** No reports from two public libraries nor the three *reference* libraries in Chicago.

† No report from 1 public library nor the three *reference* libraries in Chicago.

REGION 3



P. L. WINDSOR, 701 Michigan Ave., Urbana

Regional Representative

62 PUBLIC LIBRARIES—18 COUNTIES

Champaign County (4)
- Champaign
- Ogden[4]
- Rantoul[4]
- Urbana

Christian County (3)
- Assumption
- Pana
- Taylorville

Clark County (2)
- Casey[3]
- Marshall

Coles County (2)
- Charleston
- Mattoon

Cumberland County (2)
- Greenup[3]
- Toledo[3]

DeWitt County (2)
- Clinton
- Farmer City

Douglas County (4)
- Arcola
- Arthur[4]
- Tuscola
- Villa Grove

Edgar County (1)
- Paris

Ford County (3)
- Gibson City
- Paxton
- Piper City[3]

Iroquois County (6)
- Gilman[3]
- Loda[3]
- Milford[3]
- Onarga[4]
- Sheldon[3]
- Watseka

Kankakee County (3)
- Grant Park[4]
- Kankakee
- Momence

Livingston County (5)
- Chatsworth[4]
- Dwight[4]
- Fairbury
- Odell[4]
- Pontiac

McLean County (8)
- Bloomington
- Chenoa[3]
- Gridley[3]
- Heyworth[3]
- LeRoy[3]
- Lexington
- McLean[3]
- Normal[4]

Macon County (1)
- Decatur

Moultrie County (2)
- Bethany[3]
- Sullivan

Piatt County (7)
Bement[3]
Cerro Gordo[3]
Cisco[3]
DeLand[3]
Hammond[3]
Mansfield[3]
Monticello[3]
Shelby County (2)
Moweaqua[4]
Shelbyville
Vermilion County (5)
Danville
Georgetown[4]
Hoopeston
Ridgefarm[3]
Westville[4]
New Libraries:
Georgetown[4]
Heyworth[3]
Piper City[3]

Illinois State Library operated a bookmobile demonstration in Coles County.

U. S. Army Post Libraries: Chanute Field, Rantoul, Champaign County.

[2]Endowed library.
[3]Township library.
[4]Village or town library.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY

	1939	1941
Counties with library service	18	18
Counties without library service	0	0
Counties with bookmobile service (Illinois State Library demonstration, and I. S. L., NYA, County Superintendent of Schools)	1	3
Population served by public libraries and WPA	363,214	379,611
Population without library service	301,763	305,863
Total population	664,977	685,474
Tax supported libraries	58	61
Endowed libraries	1	1
County libraries	0	0
Total number public libraries	59	62
Association libraries	2	3
WPA library centers	36	31
Total number communities with service	97	96
Total number communities above 2,500 without public library service		1
Total number incorporated communities	197	198
Total amount spent by public libraries	*$203,884	†$214,296
Per capita	0.31	0.31
Total assessed valuation:		
1937	$561,427,000	
1938	564,656,000	
1939	563,948,000	
Total of book collections in public libraries	*655,186	‡686,214
Total circulation		2,312,711
Per capita		6.4

Schools:	1939	1940	Pupils:	1939	1940
Public	2,766	2,762		131,861	123,455
Private	42	60		6,125	6,893
Total	2,808	2,822		137,986	130,348

* No report from 5 libraries.
† No report from 6 libraries.
‡ No report from 8 libraries.

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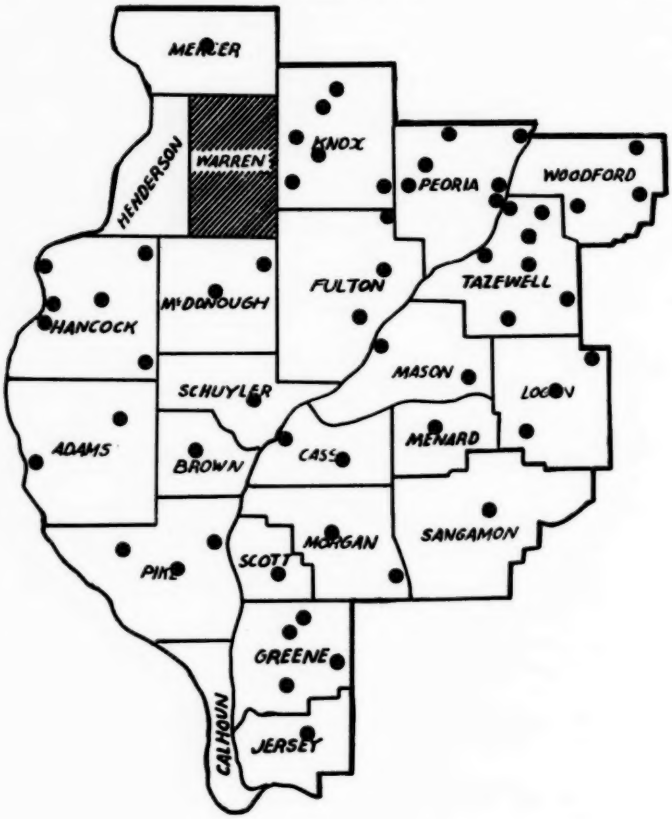


EARL BROWNING, Public Library, Peoria

Regional Representative

59 PUBLIC LIBRARIES—24 COUNTIES

Adams County (2)
- Camp Point
- Quincy

Brown County (1)
- Mt. Sterling

Calhoun County (0)

Cass County (2)
- Beardstown
- Virginia

Fulton County (3)
- Canton
- Farmington
- Lewistown

Greene County (4)
- Carrollton
- Greenfield
- Roodhouse
- White Hall[3]

Hancock County (6)
- Augusta[3]
- Carthage
- Hamilton
- LaHarpe[4]
- Nauvoo
- Warsaw

Henderson County (0)

Jersey County (1)
- Jerseyville

Knox County (6)
- Abingdon
- Altona[2]
- Galesburg
- Knoxville
- Oneida[2]
- Yates City[3]

Logan County (3)
- Atlanta
- Elkhart[4]
- Lincoln

McDonough County (2)
- Bushnell
- Macomb

Mason County (2)
- Havana
- Mason City

Menard County (1)
- Petersburg

Mercer County (1)
- Aledo[3]

Morgan County (2)
- Jacksonville
- Waverly

Peoria County (6)
- Brimfield[4]
- Chillicothe[3]
- Elmwood
- Peoria
- Peoria Heights[4]
- Princeville[4]

Pike County (3)
- Barry
- Griggsville
- Pittsfield

Sangamon County (1)
Springfield
Schuyler County (1)
Rushville
Scott County (1)
Winchester
Tazewell County (7)
Delavan[3]
East Peoria[2]
Minier[4]
Morton[4]
Pekin
Tremont[4]
Washington[3]
Warren County (1)
Monmouth[1]
Woodford County (3)
El Paso
Eureka
Minonk

U. S. Army Post Libraries: Camp Lincoln, Springfield, Sangamon County.

[1]County library.
[2]Endowed library.
[3]Township library.
[4]Village or town library.

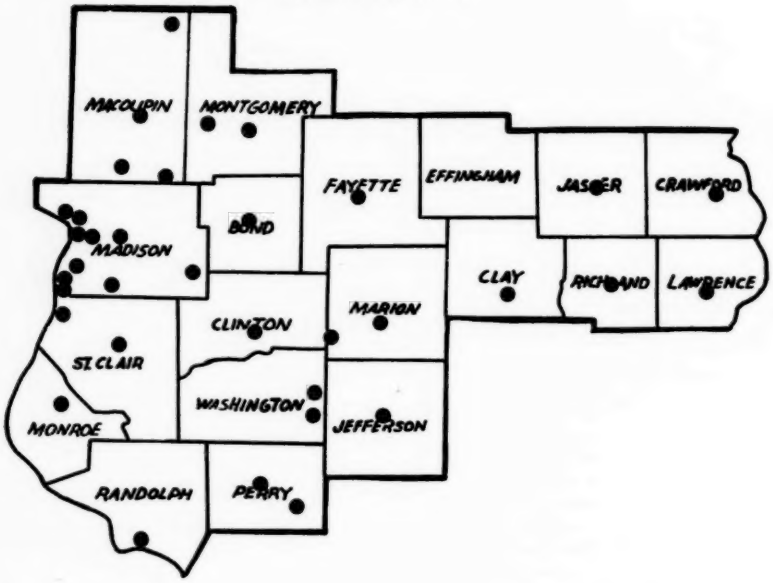
STATISTICAL SUMMARY

	1939	1941
Counties with library service	22	22
Counties without library service	2	2
Total number of counties	24	24
Counties with bookmobile service (Serviced cooperatively by Illinois State Library, NYA, and County Superintendent of Schools)	1	0
Population served by public libraries, federal agencies	471,741	486,725
Population without library service	304,027	328,726
Total population	775,768	815,451
Tax supported libraries (excluding county library)	56	56
Endowed libraries	2	2
County libraries	1	1
Total number public libraries	59	59
County library stations	7	7
Association libraries	2	6
WPA library centers	57	60
NYA library centers	7	0
Total number communities with service	132	132
Total number of communities above 2,500 without public library service		1
Total number of incorporated communities	232	238
Total amount spent by public libraries	*$304,729	†$330,274
Per capita	0.40	0.40
Total assessed valuation:		
1937	$696,753,000	
1938	760,549,000	
1939	704,068,000	
Total of book collections in public libraries	**944,563	*968,651
Total circulation		3,074,456
Per capita		6.8

Schools:	1939	1940	Pupils:	1939	1940
Public	2,717	2,720		147,192	138,382
Private	53	72		11,507	11,940
Total	2,770	2,792		158,699	150,322

* No report from 3 libraries.
** No report from 4 libraries.
† No report from 2 libraries.

REGION 5



E. MARGARET PATTON, Louis Latzer Memorial Library, Highland
Regional Representative

35 PUBLIC LIBRARIES—19 COUNTIES

Bond County (1)
Greenville

Clay County (1)
Flora

Clinton County (1)
Carlyle

Crawford County (1)
Robinson[3]

Effingham County (0)

Fayette County (1)
Vandalia

Jasper County (1)
Newton

Jefferson County (1)
Mt. Vernon

Lawrence County (1)
Lawrenceville[3]

Macoupin County (4)
Bunker Hill
Carlinville
Staunton
Virden

Madison County (10)
Alton[2]
Collinsville
East Alton[4]
Edwardsville
Granite City
Highland
Madison[4]
Roxana[4]
Venice
Wood River

Marion County (2)
Centralia
Salem

Monroe County (1)
Waterloo

Montgomery County (2)
Hillsboro
Litchfield

Perry County (2)
DuQuoin
Pinckneyville

Randolph County (1)
Chester

Richland County (1)
Olney

St. Clair County (2)
Belleville
East St. Louis

Washington County (2)
Ashley
Richview[3]

U. S. Army Post Libraries: Scott Field, Belleville, St. Clair County.

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[2]Endowed library.
[3]Township library.
[4]Village or town library.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY

	1939	1941
Counties with library service	18	18
Counties without library service	1	1
Total number of counties	19	19
Counties with bookmobile service	2	2
(Serviced cooperatively by Illinois State Library, NYA, and County Superintendent of Schools)		
Population served by public libraries, federal agencies	397,106	401,763
Population without library service	300,146	343,782
Total population	697,252	745,545
Tax supported libraries	34	34
Endowed libraries	1	1
County libraries	0	0
Total number public libraries	35	35
Association libraries	2	2
WPA library centers	74	66
NYA library centers	3	0
Total number communities with service	114	103
Total number communities above 2,500 without public library service		7
Total number incorporated communities	215	221
Total amount spent by public libraries	*$134,704	†$144,144
Per capita	0.19	0.19
Total assessed valuation:		
1937	$452,487,000	
1938	436,924,000	
1939	460,420,000	
Total of book collections in public libraries	**328,477	‡350,060
Total circulation		1,391,784
Per capita		4.2

Schools:	1939	1940	Pupils:	1939	1940
Public	2,027	2,048		142,752	136,454
Private	79	104		12,774	11,610
Total	2,106	2,152		155,526	148,064

* No report from 5 libraries.
** No report from 4 libraries.
† No report from 3 libraries.
‡ No report from 2 libraries.

REGION 6

EFFIE LANSDEN, Public Library, Cairo
Regional Representative†

22 PUBLIC LIBRARIES—17 COUNTIES

Alexander County (1)
Cairo
Edwards County (1)
Albion
Franklin County (4)
Benton
Christopher
West Frankfort
Zeigler
Gallatin County (0)
Hamilton County (1)
McLeansboro
Hardin County (0)
Jackson County (2)
Carbondale
Murphysboro
Johnson County (1)
Vienna
Massac County (1)
Metropolis
Pope County (1)
Golconda
Pulaski County (1)
Mounds
Saline County (1)
Harrisburg
Union County (1)
Anna[2]
Wabash County (1)
Mt. Carmel
Wayne County (1)
Fairfield
White County (2)
Carmi
Grayville
Williamson County (3)
Herrin
Johnston City
Marion

[2]Endowed library.
† Deceased May 29, 1941; Miss Lila Stonemetz, librarian of Fairfield Public Library, was appointed July 1, 1941.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY

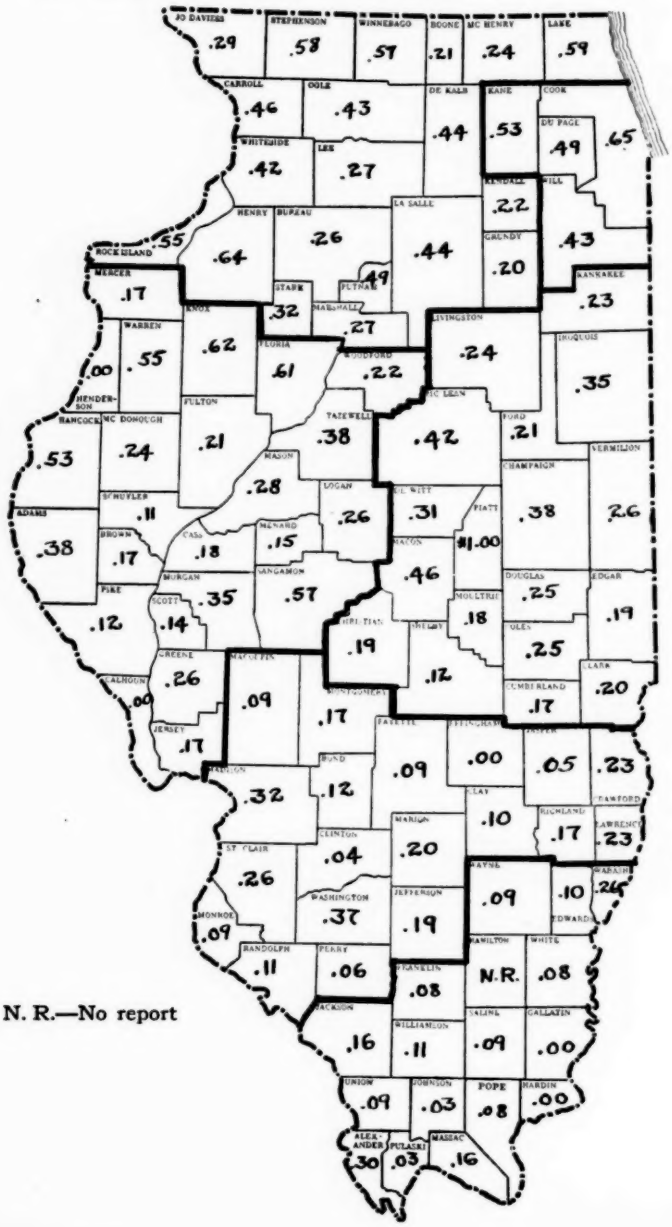
	1939	1941
Counties with library service	15	15
Counties without library service	2	2
Total number of counties	17	17
Counties with bookmobile service	2	1
(Serviced cooperatively by Illinois State Library, NYA, and County Superintendent of Schools)		
Population served by public libraries, federal agencies	179,777	166,693
Population without library service	184,684	207,860
Total population	364,461	374,553
Tax supported libraries	21	21
Endowed libraries	*1	*1
Total number public libraries	22	22
Association libraries	0	0
WPA library centers	60	57
NYA library centers	17	0
Total number communities with service	99	79
Total number communities above 2,500 without public library service		1
Total number incorporated communities	109	117
Total amount spent by public libraries	**$40,822	†$40,648
Per capita	0.11	0.11
Total assessed valuation:		
1937	$140,847,000	
1938	142,033,000	
1939	141,854,000	
Total of book collections in public libraries	***143,225	†155,311
Total circulation		622,571
Per capita		4.8

Schools:	1939	1940	Pupils:	1939	1940
Public	1,280	1,281		82,253	79,266
Private	5	12		555	1,291
Total	1,285	1,293		82,808	80,557

* Anna gives free service to Union County.
** No report from 1 library.
*** No report from 3 libraries.
† No report from 2 libraries.

LIBRARY EXPENDITURE PER CAPITA IN ILLINOIS COUNTIES

PER CAPITA EXPENDITURE FOR TOTAL POPULATION—$0.50
PER CAPITA EXPENDITURE FOR POPULATION SERVED—$0.56



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STANDARDS FOR PUBLIC LIBRARIES RECOMMENDED BY THE AMERICAN LIBRARY ASSOCIATION

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STATISTICAL TABLES

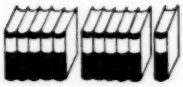
A. L. A. MINIMUM STANDARDS FOR PUBLIC LIBRARIES

ADOPTED WITH CHANGES, DECEMBER 1938

ADEQUATE SERVICE DEMANDS	1. Main library with reading room facilities 2. Special provisions for children 3. Lending, reference and periodical collections adequate to needs of community 4. Librarian and staff with training and experience
BOOK COLLECTION	1½ books per capita in cities of 100,000 and over population 2 books per capita in cities of 10,000 to 100,000 population 3 books per capita in cities of 10,000 or less population
REGISTRATION	30% registered borrowers. Population over 100,000 35% registered borrowers. Population 25,000 to 100,000 40% registered borrowers. Population 10,000 to 25,000 45% registered borrowers. Population 5,000 to 10,000 50% registered borrowers. Population under 5,000
CIRCULATION	7 books lent per capita. Population over 100,000 8 books lent per capita. Population 25,000 to 100,000 9 books lent per capita. Population 10,000 to 25,000 9 books lent per capita. Population 5,000 to 10,000 10 books lent per capita. Population under 5,000
INCOME	$1.00 per capita. Population over 100,000 1.00 per capita. Population 25,000 to 100,000 1.25 per capita. Population 10,000 to 25,000 1.50 per capita. Population up to 10,000
BUDGETED EXPENDITURES	55 per cent Salaries 25 per cent Books, Binding, Periodicals 20 per cent Other Items

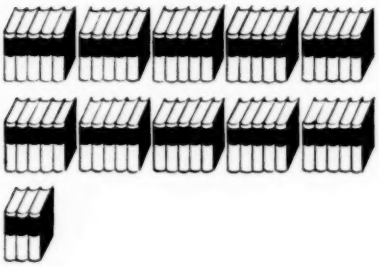
A.L.A. MINIMUM STANDARDS INDICATE THAT ILLINOIS SHOULD HAVE

BOOKS



BORROWERS

CIRCULATION



INCOME

ILLINOIS ACTUALLY HAS

BOOKS

BORROWERS

CIRCULATION

INCOME

EACH SYMBOL REPRESENTS ONE MILLION

COMPARATIVE SUMMARIES OF LIBRARIES IN ILLINOIS*

	1938	1939	1941
Number of tax supported libraries	297	300	305
Number of endowed libraries	10	10	10
Total number of public libraries	307	310	315
Number of libraries reporting	284	290	302
POPULATION			
Population served by public libraries	5,775,674	5,797,047	5,992,765
Population served by federal agencies		267,562	252,223
Total population served (exclusive of association libraries)		6,064,609	6,244,988
Population served by association libraries		30,220	33,827
Population unserved		1,535,825	1,618,426
Total population of State		7,630,654	7,897,241
Population served by libraries reporting		5,748,630	5,957,644
BOOK COLLECTION			
Number of volumes in public libraries	6,448,569	6,018,076	6,297,028
Number of volumes owned by federal agencies		216,455	260,290
Total number of volumes in State		6,234,531	6,557,318
REGISTRATION			
Number of card holders in public libraries	1,553,650	1,661,621	1,735,077
Number of card holders in federal agencies		75,159	83,958
Total number card holders		1,736,780	1,819,035
Per cent served that are card holders		27%	29%
CIRCULATION			
Circulation of public libraries	27,482,152	28,796,523	29,457,472
Circulation of federal agencies		1,905,646	1,689,247
Total circulation		30,702,169	31,146,719
Circulation per card holder		17.6 vols.	17.1 vols.
Circulation per capita population served		5.0 vols.	5.0 vols.
Circulation per capita total population		4.0 vols.	3.9 vols.
Circulation per volume in libraries		4.9 times	4.7 times

* Figures do not include Illinois State Library, *reference libraries* in Chicago or association libraries; the two latter are not required to file reports. The following public libraries did not send in reports: Altona, Ashton, Hillsdale, LeRoy, Milledgeville, McLeansboro, Pinckneyville, Westville.

INCOME (PUBLIC LIBRARIES)

Tax receipts	$3,128,437	$3,283,330	$3,361,854
Other income	1,291,786	1,241,575	1,185,815
Total income	$4,420,223	$4,524,905	$4,547,669

EXPENDITURES (PUBLIC LIBRARIES)

Salaries	$1,899,005	$1,988,186	$2,083,624
Books, binding, periodicals	698,708	754,290	740,537
Operating, including janitor service	1,094,145	1,081,539	1,133,954
Total expenditures	$3,691,858	$3,824,015	$3,958,115
Percentages:			
Salaries	51.5%	52.0%	52.6%
Books, binding, periodicals	18.9%	19.7%	18.7%
Operating, including janitor service	29.6%	28.3%	28.7%
Total	100. %	100. %	100. %

NEW LIBRARIES: Calumet City, Crystal Lake, Georgetown, Heyworth, Piper City.

For statistics of Illinois State Library see page 4.

In Granite City the public library and the high school library have cooperatively selected reading material on national defense industries so as not to duplicate efforts.

The Casey Public Library supplies books for the Clark County bookmobile to use in serving the seven rural schools of Casey Township. The Bond County school library is housed in the Greenville Public Library. The public library, which is the only one in the county, does the buying and cataloging of the books.

Elmhurst and Marion libraries are collecting and cataloging local history material in an effort to build up a county history collection in Du Page and Williamson Counties, respectively.

REGION 1

83 LIBRARIES

Number	Date of report	Library	Registration: Population 1940	Registration: Borrowers	Book record: Total volumes	Book record: Total circulation	Book record: Circulation per capita	Hours open per week	Staff full time	Income: Total tax valuation	Income: Library tax rate	Income: Tax income	Income: Tax income per capita	Income: Total income	Expenditures: Total expenditures	Expenditures: Expenditures per capita	Expenditures: Books, binding, periodicals	Expenditures: Per cent for books, binding, periodicals	Expenditures: Salaries	Expenditures: Per cent for salaries	Expenditures: Salary of librarian	Number
1	Dec. 31	Rockford[7]	84,637	25,882	130,023	501,686	5.9	75	19	$54,275,000	$.0012	$62,959	$0.74	$73,335	$67,995	$0.80	$10,334	15	$41,864	62	$3,600	1
2	Mar. 31	Rock Island	42,775	14,995	59,242	268,070	6.3	72	9	22,340,000	.0011	24,571	.57	32,869	26,398	.62	6,990	26	12,558	48	2,220	2
3	Mar. 31	Moline	34,608	12,828	55,419	270,133	7.8	72	11	22,406,000	.00113	23,799	.69	30,196	28,330	.82	7,902	28	13,260	47	2,862	3
4	Apr. 30	Waukegan[13]	34,241	-------	25,168	165,470	4.8	70	6	15,966,000	.0012	17,722	.52	26,735	19,558	.57	4,206	22	10,290	52	2,350	4
5	Dec. 31	Freeport	22,366	7,209	62,770	224,178	10.0	75	7	15,749,000	.0012	18,262	.82	23,065	22,782	1.01	4,159	18	9,206	40	1,896	5
6	Mar. 31	Ottawa	16,005	10,679	27,701	94,143	5.9	54	4	7,239,000	.0012	7,820	.49	12,032	10,155	.63	2,158	21	4,920	48	1,920	6
7	Mar. 31	Kewanee[3]	15,769	9,927	37,884	84,043	5.3	72	4	8,296,000	.0012	10,274	.65	13,938	11,872	.75	2,510	21	5,541	47	1,920	7
8	Apr. 30	Streator	14,930	7,750	25,649	93,806	6.3	69½	4	6,596,000	?	7,500	.50	8,766	8,170	.55	2,060	25	3,633	44	1,292	8
9	Apr. 30	Highland Park	14,476	6,983	35,256	115,553	8.0	72	6	13,799,000	.0012	15,096	1.04	22,845	17,358	1.20	3,328	19	9,315	54	2,400	9
10	Apr. 30	LaSalle	12,812	3,041	14,982	70,909	5.5	77	2	7,168,000	.0009	6,500	.51	7,016	7,233	.56	1,343	19	3,730	52	1,440	10
11	Apr. 30	East Moline	12,359	3,286	9,435	53,860	4.4	54	1	6,020,000	.00093	5,299	.43	5,794	5,233	.42	1,002	19	1,945	37	1,260	11
12	Mar. 31	Sterling	11,363	4,258	28,836	150,384	13.2	66	4	8,196,000	.00113	9,000	.79	9,330	9,171	.81	3,110	33	4,325	47	1,950	12
13	Apr. 15	Dixon	10,671	3,793	23,843	97,545	9.1	66	3	11,144,000	.00078	8,295	.78	8,868	8,092	.76	2,752	34	3,224	40	1,500	13
14	Apr. 30	DeKalb	9,146	4,790	18,233	76,344	8.3	57	2	5,478,000	.0012	5,746	.63	8,906	7,641	.84	1,397	18	2,858	37	1,633	14
15	Apr. 30	Peru	8,983	2,776	10,158	42,642	4.7	45½	2	5,530,000	.0006	3,000	.33	3,817	3,187	.35	636	20	1,450	45	783	15
16	Apr. 30	North Chicago	8,465	4,398	12,023	32,823	3.9	45	2	3,817,000	.0012	4,196	.50	4,689	4,283	.51	555	13	2,340	55	1,440	16
17	Apr. 30	Belvidere[7]	8,094	3,574	18,150	22,570	2.8	34½	2	6,247,000	.00055	3,300	.41	3,833	3,226	.40	624	19	1,603	50	858	17
18	Apr. 30	Rock Falls[3,12]	7,084	2,348	4,460	37,075	5.2	45	1	2,890,000	.0012	3,245	.46	3,805	3,356	.47	1,970	59	1,149	34	630	18
19	Apr. 30	Lake Forest	6,885	4,781	47,399	55,116	8.0	76	4	11,829,000	.00111	17,749	2.58	19,610	15,399	2.24	2,154	14	7,885	51	2,400	19
20	Mar. 31	Libertyville[3]	6,725	3,350	16,743	52,013	7.7	48	2	3,891,000	.0012	4,049	.60	7,117	4,137	.62	937	23	1,827	44	925	20
21	Apr. 30	Morris	6,145	3,230	12,791	40,537	6.6	43½	2	2,811,000	.0012	3,224	.52	3,699	3,659	.60	813	22	1,944	53	1,500	21
22	Apr. 30	Woodstock	6,123	3,489	12,880	28,601	4.7	40	2	3,520,000	.00102	3,480	.57	4,800	3,845	.63	917	24	2,512	65	1,512	22
23	Dec. 1	Hennepin[1]	5,289	1,156	3,964	24,548	3.4	40	1	4,789,000	?	2,115	.40	2,890	2,606	.49	599	23	1,930	74	1,300	23
24	Apr. 30	Princeton	5,220	2,832	22,963	64,302	12.3	54	4	2,719,000	.0012	3,195	.61	7,128	6,544	1.25	1,008	15	3,260	50	-------	24
25	Mar. 31	Savanna[3]	5,089	2,225	11,278	78,987	15.5	35	1	3,956,000	.0012	3,936	.77	6,418	4,969	.98	1,171	24	1,973	40	1,140	25
26	Apr. 30	Spring Valley[4]	5,010	465	3,800	7,709	1.5	25½	1	926,000	.0006	1,155	.23	1,303	1,214	.24	80	07	600	49	600	26
27	Mar. 31	Rochelle[3]	4,856	2,092	9,885	40,287	8.3	42	1	4,116,000	.0010	3,509	.72	6,385	4,846	1.00	1,408	29	2,192	45	1,500	27
28	Apr. 30	Sycamore[7]	4,702	1,652	12,526	24,385	5.2	30	1	3,057,000	.0012	3,463	.74	4,605	3,189	.68	597	19	1,580	50	1,500	28
29	Mar. 31	Geneseo[3]	4,575	2,118	18,143	41,827	9.1	48	2	3,528,000	.0010	3,306	.72	6,303	5,051	1.10	998	20	2,307	46	1,320	29
30	Mar. 31	Marseilles	4,455	1,848	7,708	18,888	4.2	39	1	2,487,000	.0012	3,295	.74	4,810	4,419	.99	463	10	1,375	30	1,005	30
		Sub-total	433,858	157,785	779,312	2,778,434				$270,785,000		$289,060		$374,907	$323,918		$68,181		$162,596		$46,656	

[1] County library.
[3] Township library.
[4] Village or town library.
[7] Does not include debt service or capital expense.
[12] Salary covers 9 months.
[13] Reregistration in progress.

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REGION 1, (Continued)

Number	Date of report	Library	Registration: Population 1940	Registration: Borrowers	Book record: Total volumes	Book record: Total circulation	Book record: Circulation per capita	Hours open per week	Staff full time	Income: Total tax valuation	Income: Library tax rate	Income: Tax income	Income: Tax income per capita	Income: Total income	Expenditures: Total expenditures	Expenditures: Expenditures per capita	Expenditures: Books, binding, periodicals	Expenditures: Per cent for books, binding, periodicals	Expenditures: Salaries	Expenditures: Per cent for salaries	Expenditures: Salary of librarian	Number
		Brought forward	433,858	157,785	779,312	2,778,434				$270,785,000		$289,060		$374,907	$323,918		$68,181		$162,596		$46,656	
31	June 30	Rockton[3]	4,258	499	7,060	12,173	2.9	24½	1	1,903,000	$.00075	1,172	$0.28	1,787	1,412	$0.33	234	17	690	49	690	31
32	Apr. 30	Mendota[7]	4,215	1,400	13,605	24,934	5.9	32	1	2,278,000	.0012	2,764	.66	6,395	3,661	.87	517	14	1,356	37	1,320	32
33	Apr. 30	Galena	4,126	1,307	12,467	23,300	5.6	37½	3	1,988,000	.0012	2,185	.53	3,729	3,515	.85	348	10	1,772	50	900	33
34	Apr. 30	Oglesby	3,938	1,864	7,631	45,133	11.5	33	1	2,305,000	.0012	3,330	.85	3,921	3,899	.99	1,002	26	1,403	36	-------	34
35	-------	Crystal Lake[5]	3,917	-------	-------	-------	-------	-------	-------	-------	-------	-------	-------	-------	-------	-------	-------	-------	-------	-------	-------	35
36	Mar. 31	Deerfield[3]	3,686	1,241	10,526	44,775	12.1	15	2	2,876,000	.0009	2,088	.57	2,621	2,364	.64	488	21	1,020	43	600	36
37	Mar. 31	Oregon[3]	3,510	1,230	13,307	18,124	5.2	30	1	1,956,000	.0012	2,166	.62	3,821	3,617	1.03	444	12	1,019	28	1,000	37
38	Mar. 31	Galva[3]	3,375	2,575	12,544	38,877	11.5	36	1	3,188,000	.0012	4,189	1.24	5,125	3,967	1.18	944	24	1,740	44	1,080	38
39	Apr. 30	Morrison	3,187	1,836	9,806	19,797	6.2	30	2	2,018,000	.0012	2,370	.74	3,262	2,593	.81	575	22	1,370	53	770	39
40	Apr. 30	Harvard	3,121	1,682	9,746	20,070	6.4	30	1	1,907,000	.00083	1,500	.48	2,968	2,407	.77	346	14	1,320	55	1,320	40
41	Apr. 30	Zion	3,101	1,952	9,464	30,602	9.9	42	1	2,178,000	.0012	2,347	.76	4,681	3,226	1.04	438	14	1,363	42	920	41
42	Apr. 30	Silvis	2,990	1,408	7,723	18,927	6.3	33	1	1,697,000	.0012	1,923	.64	2,561	1,789	.60	587	33	961	54	840	42
43	June 30	Sandwich[3]	2,898	673	10,039	26,537	9.2	16½	1	2,056,000	.0009	2,171	.75	3,533	2,066	.71	675	33	780	38	780	43
44	Mar. 31	Polo[3]	2,759	1,662	8,797	14,183	5.1	30	1	2,350,000	.0024	2,774	1.01	9,626	2,704	.98	417	15	1,386	51	1,200	44
45	Apr. 30	Antioch[3]	2,708	908	5,443	14,281	5.3	52	1	2,686,000	.0009	2,026	.74	3,254	3,000	1.11	1,319	44	886	30	420	45
46	Apr. 30	Fulton	2,585	1,245	7,740	12,929	5.0	15	1	1,136,000	.0012	1,405	.54	1,970	1,678	.65	218	13	600	36	600	46
47	Mar. 31	Plano[3]	2,567	935	14,417	26,859	10.4	21	1	2,049,000	.0012	2,263	.88	3,453	2,406	.94	722	30	960	40	960	47
48	Apr. 30	Mt. Morris[4]	2,304	541	6,343	18,942	8.2	18	1	1,301,000	.0009	1,253	.54	1,456	1,374	.60	464	34	300	22	300	48
49	Mar. 31	Stockton[3]	2,061	975	7,513	18,017	8.7	15	1	1,726,000	.0005	786	.38	996	883	.43	217	25	420	48	420	49
50	Apr. 30	Marengo	2,034	2,231	7,828	12,974	6.4	26	1	1,066,000	.0012	1,640	.81	2,038	1,865	.92	401	22	617	33	600	50
51	Mar. 31	Amboy	1,986	669	5,310	10,425	5.2	9	1	692,000	.0012	789	.40	1,236	956	.48	154	16	360	38	360	51
52	Mar. 31	Cambridge[3]	1,927	859	9,616	12,984	6.7	14½	2	2,031,000	.0012	2,298	1.19	3,462	2,338	1.21	481	21	795	34	420	52
53	Apr. 30	Henry	1,877	571	3,098	9,630	5.1	16	1	750,000	.0010	651	.35	1,283	1,144	.61	359	31	326	28	316	53
54	May 31	Mt. Carroll[3]	1,820	1,350	6,426	18,963	10.4	31½	1	2,305,000	.0012	3,152	1.78	5,494	2,599	1.42	703	27	1,140	44	960	54
55	Apr. 30	Lake Bluff[4]	1,729	1,007	7,521	15,995	9.3	25	1	1,823,000	.0012	1,920	1.11	4,478	2,467	1.42	532	21	955	39	935	55
56	Mar. 31	Earlville[3]	1,720	867	12,747	13,939	8.1	26	1	1,961,000	.0012	2,011	1.17	4,482	2,378	1.38	251	11	975	41	945	56
57	Apr. 30	Lacon	1,627	864	7,091	11,668	7.2	30	1	659,000	.0012	746	.46	1,272	894	.55	341	38	420	47	420	57
58	Apr. 30	Prophetstown[4]	1,469	748	5,765	17,153	11.7	14	1	713,000	.0012	1,200	.82	1,606	1,401	.95	355	25	564	40	540	58
59	Mar. 31	Orion[3]	1,432	978	8,108	13,073	9.1	18½	1	2,339,000	.0009	2,068	1.44	3,212	2,304	1.61	612	27	703	31	447	59
60	Mar. 31	Warren[3,7]	1,418	1,108	5,641	18,418	13.0	24	3	1,358,000	.0010	1,252	.88	1,627	1,350	.95	143	11	624	46	-------	60
		Sub-total	514,203	192,970	1,032,634	3,362,116				$324,080,000		$345,499		$470,256	$390,297		$82,468		$189,421		$66,719	

[3] Township library.
[4] Village or town library.
[5] New library.
[7] Does not include debt service or capital expense.

REGION 1, (Concluded)

Number	Date of report	Library	Registration: Population 1940	Registration: Borrowers	Book record: Total volumes	Book record: Total circulation	Book record: Circulation per capita	Hours open per week	Staff full time	Income: Total tax valuation	Income: Library tax rate	Income: Tax income	Income: Tax income per capita	Income: Total income	Expenditures: Total expenditures	Expenditures: Expenditures per capita	Expenditures: Books, binding, periodicals	Expenditures: Per cent for books, binding, periodicals	Expenditures: Salaries	Expenditures: Per cent for salaries	Expenditures: Salary of librarian	Number
		Brought forward	514,203	192,970	1,032,634	3,362,116				$324,080,000		$345,499		$470,256	$390,297		$82,468		$189,421		$66,719	
61	Apr. 30	Thomson[3]	1,411	325	2,917	5,891	4.2	6	1	1,488,000	$.0006	888	$0.63	896	626	$0.44	154	25	297	47	197	61
62	Apr. 30	Wyoming	1,360	956	5,718	10,129	7.4	15	1	616,000	.0012	544	.40	1,091	877	.64	259	30	420	48	420	62
63	Mar. 31	Atkinson[3]	1,249	570	7,123	14,440	11.6	26	1	2,064,000	.0011	2,097	1.68	5,322	2,396	1.91	885	37	788	33	780	63
64	Apr. 30	Toulon	1,230	900	7,569	10,158	8.3	15	1	675,000	.0012	727	.59	1,156	957	.78	144	15	360	38	360	64
65	Mar. 31	Waterman[3]	1,222	584	4,246	5,834	4.8	11	1	1,535,000	.0005	727	.59	1,174	843	.69	276	33	135	16	133	65
66	Apr. 30	Lena[4]	1,169	515	6,253	13,569	11.6	13	1	760,000	.0012	895	.77	1,158	960	.82	227	24	444	46	444	66
67	Mar. 31	Malta[3]	1,031	431	3,550	2,335	2.3	10	1	1,374,000	.0003	385	.37	535	445	.43	62	14	216	49	216	67
68	Dec. 31	Wenona	967	360	4,017	4,968	5.1	10	1	434,000	?	200	.21	2,468	1,498	1.54	129	09	165	11	165	68
69	Apr. 30	Sheffield	948	389	4,083	3,321	3.5	21	1	394,000	.0012	443	.47	1,049	769	.81	133	17	330	43	330	69
70	Mar. 31	Algonquin[4]	926	640	3,486	11,126	12.0	12	1	576,000	.00107	566	.61	989	668	.72	169	25	310	46	310	70
71	Apr. 30	Tiskilwa[3]	920	624	5,098	10,955	11.9	20	1	325,000	.0012	393	.43	797	779	.85	275	35	360	46	360	71
72	Dec. 31	Ashton[2,6]	914																			72
73	Mar. 31	Bradford[4]	907	350	4,421	4,698	5.2	14	1	508,000	.0012	538	.59	1,011	719	.79	214	30	190	26	180	73
74	Apr. 30	Port Byron[3,6]	907							461,000	.0012											74
75	Dec. 31	Milledgeville[2,6]	808																			75
76	Apr. 30	Buda[4]	734	333	3,756	4,316	5.9	15	1	309,000	.0012	453	.62	893	621	.85	63	10	360	58	360	76
77	May 31	Cordova[3]	704	314	7,862	13,940	19.8	51	1	624,000	.0012	733	1.04	1,105	699	.99	76	11	480	69	480	77
78	Apr. 30	Franklin Grove[4]	645	327	3,937	5,667	8.8	8	1	438,000	.0012	351	.54	865	371	.58	214	58	120	32	120	78
79	Apr. 30	Somonauk[4]	610	206	5,010	7,426	12.2	10	1	437,000	.0009	415	.68	2,916	550	.90	207	38	254	46	254	79
80	Apr. 30	Kirkland[4]	570	160	2,417	3,905	6.9	6	1	350,000	.0012	305	.54	508	392	.69	83	21	118	30	118	80
81	?	Hillsdale[3,6]	541							461,000	.0012											81
82	Apr. 30	Stillman Valley[4]	333	190	5,050	1,817	5.5	3		238,000	.0008	209	.63	298	181	.54	93	51				82
83	Mar. 31	La Fayette[4]	295	152	2,892	3,981	13.4	10	1	107,000	.0012	86	.29	391	303	1.02	79	26	104	34	104	83
		Total	534,604	201,296	1,122,039	3,500,589	6.5			$337,945,000		$356,454	$0.67	$484,851	$404,662	$0.76	$86,210	21	$194,872	48	$72,050	

[2] Endowed library.
[3] Township library.
[4] Village or town library.
[6] No report.

REGION 2

51 LIBRARIES

Number	Date of report	Library	Registration: Population 1940	Registration: Borrowers	Book record: Total volumes	Book record: Total circulation	Book record: Circulation per capita	Hours open per week	Staff full time	Income: Total tax valuation	Income: Library tax rate	Income: Tax income	Income: Tax income per capita	Income: Total income	Expenditures: Total expenditures	Expenditures: Expenditures per capita	Expenditures: Books, binding, periodicals	Expenditures: Per cent for books, binding, periodicals	Expenditures: Salaries	Expenditures: Per cent for salaries	Expenditures: Salary of librarian	Number
1	Dec. 31	Chicago[16]	3,396,808	765,194	1,892,016	13,555,454	4.0	72	816	$1,948,180,000	$.00103	$1,897,083	$0.56	$2,439,007	$2,298,104	$0.68	$353,289	15	$1,304,999	57	-------	1
2	Dec. 31	Oak Park[4,18]	66,015	25,435	96,536	535,173	8.1	72	19	41,207,000	.0012	49,682	.75	81,187	61,572	.93	13,635	22	30,612	50	$3,000	2
3	Dec. 31	Evanston[17]	65,389	34,965	156,686	743,776	11.4	79	16	49,478,000	.0012	51,930	.79	77,994	59,113	.90	10,275	17	29,477	50	3,650	3
4	Dec. 31	Cicero[4]	64,712	15,610	70,393	259,625	4.0	72	9	35,800,000	.0010	26,277	.41	27,426	26,663	.41	7,199	27	12,636	47	3,300	4
5	Dec. 31	Berwyn[7]	48,451	26,170	29,436	234,501	4.8	69	9	20,342,000	.0012	24,811	.51	31,502	24,250	.50	6,980	29	12,021	50	2,580	5
6	Dec. 31	Aurora	47,170	15,706	86,500	324,090	6.9	76	12	27,398,000	.0012	29,145	.62	42,411	29,854	.63	6,599	22	16,297	55	2,400	6
7	Dec. 31	Joliet	42,365	15,000	67,379	220,364	5.2	59½	7	25,135,000	.00072	14,695	.35	27,458	26,611	.63	4,903	19	12,212	46	2,400	7
8	Mar. 31	Elgin[3,8]	41,039	-------	97,200	371,141	9.0	----	?	24,189,000	.0008	18,828	.46	19,873	18,658	.45	4,609	25	10,382	56	-------	8
9	Dec. 31	Maywood[4,9]	26,648	6,660	24,240	133,205	5.0	66	6	12,995,000	.0012	14,734	.55	24,532	17,648	.66	3,832	22	8,786	50	2,200	9
10	Apr. 30	Chicago Heights	22,461	6,467	23,669	99,473	4.4	72	5	9,683,000	.0011	8,888	.40	12,595	10,581	.47	2,589	24	5,204	49	1,418	10
11	Apr. 30	Harvey	17,878	7,636	9,742	53,855	3.0	48	3	8,173,000	.0012	4,652	.26	5,349	4,738	.27	601	13	2,478	52	1,230	11
12	Apr. 30	Wilmette[4]	17,226	7,037	27,886	117,165	6.8	66	4	16,261,000	.0011	16,479	.96	30,965	16,849	.98	5,332	31	8,365	50	2,400	12
13	Apr. 30	Blue Island	16,638	4,046	13,072	47,515	2.9	66	2	7,017,000	.0009	6,096	.37	6,901	5,921	.36	1,220	21	3,177	54	1,500	13
14	Feb. 28	Elmhurst	15,458	7,691	21,057	135,947	8.8	72	3	9,507,000	.0012	9,662	.63	13,398	12,121	.78	2,720	22	5,254	43	1,650	14
15	Apr. 30	Forest Park[4]	14,840	4,145	13,855	70,694	4.8	45	2	5,889,000	.0012	6,530	.44	14,136	5,907	.40	2,240	38	3,095	52	1,680	15
16	Apr. 30	Elmwood Park[4]	13,689	3,296	3,522	64,407	4.7	51½	2	5,737,000	.0012	6,326	.46	7,783	6,216	.45	2,326	37	2,228	36	1,638	16
17	-------	Calumet City[5]	13,241	-------	-------	-------	----	----	----	4,900,000	.0010	-------	----	-------	-------	----	-------	----	-------	----	-------	17
18	Mar. 31	Lockport[3]	12,712	2,200	10,730	60,141	4.7	39	3	10,581,000	.0009	9,021	.71	17,040	8,765	.69	2,257	26	3,831	44	1,860	18
19	Mar. 31	Winnetka[4]	12,430	7,208	37,160	131,376	10.6	72	7	19,245,000	.0012	21,191	1.70	28,437	24,311	1.96	6,018	25	13,840	57	-------	19
20	Apr. 30	Park Ridge	12,063	6,840	15,593	108,792	9.0	66	4	9,560,000	.00115	8,943	.74	11,123	10,395	.86	2,527	24	4,580	44	1,680	20
21	Apr. 30	Melrose Park[4]	10,933	1,969	5,364	25,469	2.3	42½	1	4,695,000	.0012	4,945	.45	7,532	7,107	.65	2,389	34	1,458	21	1,020	21
22	Mar. 31	Brookfield[4]	10,817	4,602	11,250	103,428	9.6	42	2	4,276,000	.0012	4,700	.44	6,302	6,048	.56	1,218	20	2,526	42	1,380	22
23	Apr. 30	La Grange[4]	10,479	4,753	16,576	88,962	8.5	66	2	7,344,000	.00115	7,800	.74	10,778	10,222	.98	2,163	21	5,396	53	2,220	23
24	Apr. 30	Downers Grove[4]	9,526	3,123	13,145	76,558	8.0	51	2	4,786,000	.0012	5,217	.55	8,766	5,746	.60	1,350	23	2,550	44	1,500	24
25	Dec. 31	Des Plaines	9,518	3,699	7,681	61,562	6.5	45	3	4,582,000	.0012	5,379	.57	6,469	5,379	.57	986	18	2,280	42	1,320	25
26	Apr. 30	River Forest[4]	9,487	5,123	19,928	87,420	9.2	48	4	11,925,000	.0012	11,211	1.18	13,798	12,376	1.30	3,070	25	6,601	53	2 475	26
		Sub-total	4,027,993	984,575	2,770,616	17,710,093				$575,523,000		$2,264,197		$2,972,761	$2,715,155		$450,327		$1,510,285		$44,501	

[3] Township library.
[4] Village or town library.
[5] New library.
[7] Does not include debt service or capital expense.
[8] Incomplete.
[9] Extends service by contract to Broadview and Westchester.
[16] Hours for branches given.
[17] Extends service by contract to Glenview.
[18] Extends service by contract to Bellwood, Elmwood Park, and Hillside School.

REGION 2, (Concluded)

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		Brought forward	4,027,993	984,575	2,770,616	17,710,093				$575,523,000		$2,264,197		$2,972,761	$2,715,155		$450,327		$1,510,285		$44,501	
27	Mar. 31	Glen Ellyn[4]	8,055	15,994	15,550	54,941	6.8	63	2	5,716,000	$.0012	5,899	$0.73	8,707	7,983	$0.99	1,868	23	3,760	47	-------	27
28	Apr. 30	Riverside[4]	7,935	4,509	11,964	56,785	7.1	64	3	5,883,000	.0012	6,925	.87	8,700	7,690	1.10	1,339	17	4,322	57	2,000	28
29	Feb. 28	St. Charles[3]	7,815	2,238	12,318	41,634	5.3	48	2	4,440,000	.0012	4,981	.64	10,955	5,011	.64	946	19	2,802	56	1,620	29
30	Apr. 30	Wheaton	7,389	3,683	18,015	59,963	8.1	66	2	5,436,000	.0012	5,796	.78	7,354	6,572	.89	1,625	25	3,127	48	1,800	30
31	Apr. 30	Hinsdale[4]	7,336	4,108	19,207	75,733	10.3	63	3	5,733,000	.0012	5,978	.81	8,477	7,932	1.08	2,120	27	4,570	58	2,000	31
32	Feb. 28	Lombard[4]	7,075	3,040	9,474	51,892	7.3	42	2	3,301,000	.0012	3,144	.44	5,298	4,285	.61	508	12	2,560	60	1,660	32
33	Apr. 30	Argo[4]	7,043	1,948	5,370	27,071	3.8	31	1	2,431,000	.0011	2,466	.35	3,214	2,821	.40	594	21	1,061	38	1,020	33
34	Mar. 31	Batavia[3]	6,985	3,843	16,622	52,267	7.5	72	2	4,256,000	.0012	4,620	.66	6,404	5,565	.80	1,328	24	2,456	44	1,200	34
35	Feb. 28	Glencoe[4]	6,825	3,109	21,516	62,944	9.2	72	4	11,115,000	.0012	11,095	1.63	21,037	12,696	1.86	2,846	22	6,547	52	1,980	35
36	May 31	Arlington Heights[4]	5,668	1,858	8,650	37,342	6.6	36	1	3,396,000	.00046	1,142	.20	3,105	2,370	.42	1,213	51	957	40	957	36
37	Mar. 31	Dundee[3]	5,360	1,670	9,242	17,826	3.3	30½	1	3,298,000	.0011	3,412	.64	4,706	3,199	.60	781	24	1,436	45	669	37
38	Apr. 30	Naperville	5,272	3,973	9,187	33,680	6.4	36	2	2,695,000	.0012	2,751	.52	4,015	3,711	.70	789	21	1,595	43	945	38
39	Apr. 30	Bellwood[4]	5,220	1,843	4,769	34,110	6.5	21	2	3,838,000	.0012	3,530	.68	5,390	4,440	.85	1,154	26	1,249	28	720	39
40	Mar. 31	Western Springs[4]	4,856	2,832	13,675	32,442	6.7	28	1	3,191,000	.00107	2,972	.61	7,343	3,677	.76	1,000	27	1,555	42	1,225	40
41	Mar. 31	Geneva[3,19]	4,830	2,170	15,132	55,670	11.5	39	2	3,341,000	.0027	3,785	.78	5,896	4,216	.87	1,059	25	2,106	50	1,240	41
42	Apr. 30	Homewood[4]	4,078	1,471	6,760	25,040	6.1	24	1	2,112,000	.0012	2,136	.52	3,135	2,705	.66	411	15	1,211	45	1,200	42
43	Apr. 30	Barrington[4]	3,560	1,480	8,380	27,971	7.9	22	2	1,806,000	.0012	2,089	.59	2,719	2,098	.59	511	24	1,200	57	1,200	43
44	Apr. 30	West Chicago	3,355	971	5,481	20,739	6.2	25	1	1,633,000	.0012	1,829	.55	2,243	2,122	.63	406	19	694	33	550	44
45	Mar. 31	Wilmington[3]	2,514	868	8,403	7,776	3.0	27	1	2,015,000	.0005	764	.30	1,473	1,221	.49	208	17	363	30	363	45
46	Apr. 30	Glenview[4,9]	2,500	1,031	2,561	26,261	10.5	20½	1	2,107,000	.00088	1,637	.65	4,072	2,637	1.05	300	11	1,443	55	1,320	46
47	Mar. 31	Palatine[4]	2,222	1,512	4,590	11,202	5.0	9	1	1,380,000	.00114	570	.71	3,097	1,554	.70	639	41	604	39	576	47
48	Apr. 30	Peotone[3]	1,752	90	975	2,635	1.5	6	1	1,275,000	.0003	303	.17	443	399	.23	85	21	120	30	120	48
49	Apr. 30	Plainfield[4,7]	1,485	794	4,090	13,335	9.0	23½	1	678,000	.0008	--------	-----	11,687	10,732	.72	156	01	667	06	600	49
50	Feb. 28	Carpentersville[2,7]	1,289	943	7,390	13,192	10.2	25	1	----------	-------	--------	-----	3,256	2,189	1.70	637	29	900	41	900	50
51	Mar. 31	Manhattan[3]	1,214	540	4,652	9,643	7.9	10½	1	1,288,000	.0005	540	.44	1,301	1,091	.90	44	04	182	17	182	51
		Total	4,149,606	1,041,093	3,014,589	18,562,187	4.5			$657,887,000		$2,343,561	$0.56	$3,116,788	$2,824,091	$0.68	$472,894	17	$1,557,772	55	$70,548	

[2] Endowed library.
[3] Township library.
[4] Village or town library.
[7] Does not include debt service or capital expense.
[9] Contracts for service with Evanston.
[19] Tax rate includes building levy.

REGION 3

62 LIBRARIES

Number	Date of report	Library	Registration: Population 1940	Registration: Borrowers	Book record: Total volumes	Book record: Total circulation	Book record: Circulation per capita	Hours open per week	Staff full time	Income: Total tax valuation	Income: Library tax rate	Income: Tax income	Income: Tax income per capita	Income: Total income	Expenditures: Total expenditures	Expenditures: Expenditures per capita	Expenditures: Books, binding, periodicals	Expenditures: Per cent for books, binding, periodicals	Expenditures: Salaries	Expenditures: Per cent for salaries	Expenditures: Salary of librarian	Number
1	Apr. 30	Decatur	59,305	18,459	76,205	268,423	4.5	72	14	$32,365,000	$.0012	$38,634	$0.65	$43,955	$39,125	$0.66	$8,333	21	$21,713	55	$2,640	1
2	Apr. 30	Danville	36,919	22,323	69,042	277,901	7.5	66	7	20,505,000	.0010	17,018	.46	18,627	17,018	.46	5,818	34	7,500	44	1,740	2
3	Apr. 30	Bloomington	32,868	18,176	51,545	303,693	9.3	72	10	19,589,000	.0012	21,944	.67	30,445	23,732	.73	5,572	23	13,146	55	2,075	3
4	Apr. 30	Champaign	23,302	14,859	59,987	208,372	8.9	72	5	14,032,000	.00112	15,222	.65	16,933	16,832	.72	5,212	31	7,349	44	2,172	4
5	Apr. 30	Kankakee	22,241	10,621	35,516	112,894	5.1	66	5	10,875,000	.0012	12,941	.58	34,169	11,934	.54	3,463	29	6,409	54	1,800	5
6	Apr. 30	Mattoon	15,827	------	19,086	86,178	5.4	72	3	5,283,000	.0012	5,914	.37	7,528	6,559	.41	1,329	20	3,780	58	------	6
7	Apr. 30	Urbana	14,064	6,078	35,982	114,713	8.2	72	4	7,118,000	.0012	8,255	.59	10,685	8,893	.63	2,104	24	4,050	46	1,700	7
8	May 31	Pontiac	9,585	4,547	18,231	39,190	4.1	53½	2	3,009,000	.0012	2,774	.29	5,344	4,001	.42	772	19	2,280	57	1,386	8
9	Apr. 30	Paris	9,281	5,939	15,743	69,928	7.5	66	3	3,516,000	.0012	4,020	.43	5,236	4,790	.52	1,079	22	3,087	64	1,500	9
10	Mar. 31	Taylorville	8,313	6,198	14,758	86,843	10.4	66	2	3,050,000	.0012	3,600	.43	3,796	3,492	.42	632	18	2,076	59	1,410	10
11	Apr. 30	Charleston	8,197	4,833	11,578	35,818	4.4	52½	2	2,469,000	.0012	2,537	.31	3,084	3,035	.37	615	20	1,510	50	1,200	11
12	Mar. 31	Normal[4]	6,983	2,307	5,285	29,256	4.2	44	1	3,011,000	.0012	3,525	.50	5,276	4,465	.64	1,094	25	1,457	33	900	12
13	Apr. 30	Clinton[7]	6,331	4,155	20,318	35,723	5.6	60	2	3,195,000	?	3,615	.57	4,172	4,097	.65	533	13	2,271	55	1,200	13
14	Apr. 30	Pana	5,966	1,090	5,746	23,161	3.9	36	2	2,287,000	.0012	2,754	.46	5,660	3,368	.56	329	10	900	27	600	14
15	Apr. 30	Hoopeston	5,381	4,380	17,057	48,575	9.0	46	2	2,862,000	.0013	4,008	.74	5,483	4,157	.77	968	23	1,620	40	900	15
16	Apr. 30	Shelbyville	4,092	2,102	11,576	23,794	5.8	45	2	1,917,000	.0013	2,354	.58	2,771	2,574	.63	439	17	1,125	44	780	16
17	Mar. 31	Watseka	3,744	1,298	5,993	14,963	4.0	30	2	1,781,000	.0012	1,987	.53	3,327	2,125	.57	253	12	810	38	480	17
18	Mar. 31	Casey[3]	3,733	1,641	4,125	33,763	9.0	37	1	3,275,000	.0010	3,118	.84	4,165	3,030	.81	1,026	34	1,127	37	1,125	18
19	--------	Westville[4,6]	3,446	------	------	------	------	------	------	829,000	.0007	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	19
20	Mar. 31	Monticello[3]	3,261	2,262	20,767	49,118	15.0	54	2	12,844,000	.0004	4,972	1.52	7,083	4,739	1.45	1,253	26	2,340	49	1,620	20
21	--------	Georgetown[5,6]	3,235	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	21
22	Apr. 30	Paxton	3,106	1,248	10,650	30,562	9.8	30	1	1,244,000	.0012	1,610	.52	2,151	2,005	.65	543	27	888	44	860	22
23	Apr. 30	Sullivan	3,101	992	7,142	17,028	5.5	40	1	1,088,000	.0012	1,637	.53	2,340	1,741	.56	282	16	745	43	720	23
24	Apr. 30	Tuscola	2,838	1,399	6,353	18,232	6.4	39	1	1,219,000	.0012	1,356	.48	2,290	1,728	.61	404	23	606	35	606	24
25	Apr. 30	Marshall	2,758	1,713	5,391	18,674	6.8	20	1	799,000	.0012	888	.32	1,245	779	.28	276	35	423	54	420	25
26	Mar. 31	Greenup[3]	2,692	1,743	7,571	27,167	10.0	39	1	1,248,000	.0010	1,107	.41	1,712	1,223	.45	284	23	615	50	600	26
27	Mar. 31	Dwight[4]	2,499	1,527	4,072	8,340	3.3	22	1	1,133,000	.0012	1,268	.51	2,050	1,724	.69	252	15	900	52	900	27
28	Apr. 30	Momence	2,425	1,448	5,291	14,319	5.9	42	1	864,000	.0012	1,007	.42	1,737	1,618	.67	266	16	740	46	740	28
29	Mar. 31	Milford[3]	2,407	876	7,912	13,847	5.8	40	1	2,057,000	.0012	2,340	.97	3,036	2,669	1.11	444	17	1,101	41	780	29
30	Apr. 30	Gibson City	2,401	875	8,221	14,764	6.1	36	1	893,000	.0012	1,079	.45	1,603	1,127	.47	133	12	660	59	660	30
		Sub-total	310,301	143,089	561,143	2,025,239				$164,357,000		$171,484		$235,903	$182,580		$43,708		$91,228		$31,514	

[3] Township library.
[4] Village or town library.
[5] New library.
[6] No report.
[7] Does not include debt service or capital expense.

REGION 3, (Concluded)

Number	Date of report	Library	Registration: Population 1940	Registration: Borrowers	Book record: Total volumes	Book record: Total circulation	Book record: Circulation per capita	Hours open per week	Staff full time	Income: Total tax valuation	Income: Library tax rate	Income: Tax income	Income: Tax income per capita	Income: Total income	Expenditures: Total expenditures	Expenditures: Expenditures per capita	Expenditures: Books, binding, periodicals	Expenditures: Per cent for books, binding, periodicals	Expenditures: Salaries	Expenditures: Per cent for salaries	Expenditures: Salary of librarian	Number
		Brought forward	310,301	143,089	561,143	2,025,239				$164,357,000		$171,484		$235,903	$182,580		$43,708		$91,228		$31,514	
31	Apr. 6	Cerro Gordo[3]	2,393	471	2,430	9,425	3.9	10	3	3,087,000	$.0005	1,478	$0.62	1,888	1,416	$0.59	634	45	540	38	300	31
32	Apr. 30	Rantoul[4]	2,367	434	2,448	12,221	5.2	13½	1	613,000	.0012	667	.28	1,448	743	.31	358	48	288	39	288	32
33	Apr. 30	Fairbury	2,300	1,013	7,764	8,998	3.9	33	1	1,111,000	.0012	1,078	.47	2,433	2,262	.98	320	14	755	33	755	33
34	Feb. 28	Bement[3]	2,246	680	2,496	15,561	6.9	21½	1	2,697,000	.00075	1,915	.85	2,216	1,809	.81	479	26	570	32	570	34
35	Mar. 31	Gilman[3]	2,230	1,087	7,007	20,989	9.4	42½	1	2,165,000	.0012	2,468	1.11	2,553	2,551	1.14	314	12	1,490	58	1,290	35
36	Apr. 30	Villa Grove	2,072	1,000	3,599	10,954	5.3	30	1	583,000	.0012	607	.29	695	700	.34	156	22	500	71	480	36
37	Mar. 31	Toledo[3]	1,945	825	4,412	14,145	7.3	25	1	771,000	.0010	656	.34	1,543	750	.39	288	38	310	41	300	37
38	Mar. 31	Ridgefarm[3]	1,903	1,031	7,689	10,257	5.4	17	1	1,473,000	?	1,277	.67	1,732	1,503	.79	163	11	784	52	780	38
39	July 31	Arcola[7]	1,837	943	5,064	10,397	5.7	34	1	634,000	.0012	722	.39	1,091	1,378	.75	141	10	480	35	400	39
40	Apr. 30	Farmer City	1,833	835	6,034	14,370	7.8	16½	1	678,000	.0012	669	.36	1,670	1,562	.85	595	38	387	25	387	40
41	Dec. 31	LeRoy[2,6]	1,783																			41
42	Apr. 30	Hammond[3]	1,735	484		3,918	2.3	6	3	2,163,000	.0005	1,009	.58	1,131	961	.55	57	06	426	44	426	42
43		Piper City[3,5]	1,650																			43
44	Mar. 31	Sheldon[3]	1,610	978	6,901	20,234	12.6	36	1	1,881,000	.0011	1,977	1.23	3,715	2,540	1.57	434	17	732	29	732	44
45	Apr. 30	Assumption	1,561	550	2,151	4,028	2.6	6	1	397,000	.0013	475	.30	577	320	.20	162	51	104	33	104	45
46	Mar. 15	Mansfield[3]	1,554	865	3,987	11,496	7.4	14	1	2,636,000	.0003	694	.45	892	662	.43	157	24	300	45	300	46
47	Mar. 31	Bethany[3]	1,455		521	8,403	5.8	?		1,486,000	.0006	821	.56	859	745	.51	336	45	240	32	240	47
48	Apr. 30	Onarga[4]	1,413	591	6,623	7,744	5.3	15	1	601,000	?	946	.67	1,056	981	.70	310	32	285	29	285	48
49	Apr. 30	Arthur[4]	1,405	719	5,809	13,700	9.8	20	1	564,000	.0012	913	.65	1,123	608	.43	123	20	360	59	360	49
50	Apr. 30	Chenoa[3,15]	1,401	864	6,333	12,748	9.1	30	1	480,000	.0009	508	.36	556	641	.46	76	12	410	64	400	50
51	Mar. 31	McLean[3]	1,367	374	6,024	11,709	8.6	15	1	1,865,000	.0005	888	.65	1,588	1,075	.79	257	24	500	47	360	51
52	Apr. 30	Moweaqua[4]	1,366	683	4,546	8,297	6.1	9	1	490,000	.0015	665	.49	1,224	607	.44	238	39	180	30	180	52
53	Apr. 30	Lexington	1,284	636	5,783	11,783	9.2	33	1	341,000	.0012	328	.26	997	481	.37	150	31	314	65	314	53
54	Mar. 31	DeLand[3]	1,232	619	6,824	17,485	14.2	34	1	2,203,000	.0012	2,507	2.03	3,199	2,567	2.09	347	14	938	37	900	54
55	Mar. 31	Cisco[3]	1,198	800	5,432	10,964	9.1	20	1	2,504,000	.00075	1,729	1.44	2,849	2,442	2.03	380	16	958	39	830	55
56	Apr. 30	Loda[3]	1,050	586	4,702	2,822	2.7	9	1	1,217,000	.0003	348	.33	803	515	.49	59	11	250	49	250	56
57	Apr. 30	Chatsworth[4]	1,036	275	2,466	2,650	2.6	10	1	334,000	?	445	.43	1,211	493	.48	362	73	120	24	120	57
58		Heyworth[4,5]	996																			58
59	Oct. 10	Odell[4,7]	927	365	5,362	7,053	7.6	17	1	365,000	?	300	.32	2,473	771	.83	315	41	360	47	360	59
60	Apr. 30	Gridley[3,15]	745	292	2,664	2,618	3.5	7	1	287,000	.0009	249	.33	628	453	.61	119	26	120	26	120	60
61	Apr. 30	Grant Park[4,8]	519			2,503	4.8	3		194,000	.0011	211	.41	216	180	.35	32	18	117	65	96	61
62	Mar. 31	Ogden[4]	431							142,000	?											62
		Total	359,145	161,089	686,214	2,312,711	6.4			$198,319,000		$198,034	$0.55	$278,269	$214,296	$0.60	$51,070	24	$104,046	49	$43,441	

[2] Endowed library.
[3] Township library.
[4] Village and town library.
[5] New library.
[6] No report.
[7] Does not include debt service or capital expense.
[8] Incomplete.
[15] Recently changed to township library.

REGION 4

59 LIBRARIES

Number	Date of report	Library	Registration: Population 1940	Registration: Borrowers	Book record: Total volumes	Book record: Total circulation	Book record: Circulation per capita	Hours open per week	Staff full time	Income: Total tax valuation	Income: Library tax rate	Income: Tax income	Income: Tax income per capita	Income: Total income	Expenditures: Total expenditures	Expenditures: Expenditures per capita	Expenditures: Books, binding, periodicals	Expenditures: Per cent for books, binding, periodicals	Expenditures: Salaries	Expenditures: Per cent for salaries	Expenditures: Salary of librarian	Number
1	Dec. 31	Peoria[7,9]	105,087	29,958	231,417	641,164	6.1	72	31	$81,628,000	$.0010	$82,959	$0.79	$99,848	$87,417	$0.83	$25,616	29	$45,738	52	$4,800	1
2	Feb. 28	Springfield[7]	75,503	26,388	141,124	568,471	7.5	72	17	50,818,000	.0012	58,046	.77	73,405	66,835	.89	13,136	20	28,541	43	-------	2
3	Apr. 30	Quincy[7]	40,469	10,447	51,390	216,754	5.4	76	8	34,208,000	.00075	35,858	.88	54,457	24,245	.60	7,047	29	10,511	43	2,400	3
4	Mar. 31	Galesburg	28,876	9,734	98,022	250,268	8.7	72	10	23,291,000	.00101	22,127	.77	29,984	27,065	.94	8,059	30	12,328	46	2,400	4
5	Nov. 30	Monmouth[1]	21,286	10,351	57,443	215,234	10.1	69	5	23,097,000	?	11,500	.54	12,906	11,797	.55	2,673	23	6,800	58	1,200	5
6	Mar. 31	Jacksonville	19,844	9,307	37,235	123,618	6.2	48	4	9,400,000	.0012	11,053	.56	14,130	11,198	.56	2,158	19	6,196	55	1,900	6
7	Apr. 30	Pekin	19,407	9,713	28,010	113,025	5.8	72	4	8,128,000	.0012	7,788	.40	12,011	10,438	.54	2,950	28	4,539	43	1,444	7
8	Apr. 30	Lincoln	12,752	5,081	-------	50,777	4.0	42	2	4,939,000	.0012	5,267	.41	6,588	5,714	.45	1,119	20	2,304	40	1,404	8
9	Apr. 30	Canton	11,577	3,763	15,760	80,233	6.9	66	3	6,245,000	.0008	4,781	.41	9,604	6,879	.59	1,250	18	3,385	49	1,400	9
10	Apr. 30	Macomb	8,764	7,020	23,102	36,740	4.2	36	2	5,353,000	.0009	3,655	.42	4,624	4,282	.49	1,002	23	1,900	44	880	10
11	Apr. 30	Beardstown	6,505	2,171	4,466	22,131	3.4	30	1	2,969,000	.0008	2,231	.34	2,806	2,119	.33	507	24	1,071	51	1,020	11
12	Mar. 31	East Peoria[3]	5,360	1,872	4,763	40,482	7.6	32	1	6,592,000	.0010	6,297	1.17	8,269	4,599	.86	2,413	52	1,189	26	902	12
13	Apr. 30	Jerseyville	4,809	1,779	8,810	25,896	5.4	45	1	2,524,000	.0010	2,387	.50	5,048	2,266	.47	458	20	1,100	49	992	13
14	Apr. 30	Peoria Heights[4]	4,376	980	2,201	18,491	4.2	18	2	2,032,000	.0012	1,602	.37	3,733	2,516	.57	1,077	43	720	29	548	14
15	Apr. 30	Washington[3]	4,310	1,089	4,953	19,445	4.5	24	1	3,338,000	.0005	1,566	.36	2,106	1,830	.42	616	34	558	30	465	15
16	Mar. 31	Chillicothe[3]	4,079	1,757	7,783	25,602	6.3	33	1	2,350,000	.0009	1,925	.47	2,542	2,058	.50	379	18	1,026	50	990	16
17	Apr. 30	Havana	3,999	952	6,989	26,899	6.7	36	1	2,123,000	.0009	1,598	.40	4,205	3,319	.83	524	16	1,440	43	933	17
18	Mar. 31	White Hall[3]	3,859	1,450	9,227	37,390	9.7	32½	1	2,507,000	.0010	2,272	.59	3,550	2,396	.62	980	41	978	41	960	18
19	Feb. 28	Aledo[3]	3,241	1,540	8,420	30,781	9.5	36	1	2,586,000	.0012	2,874	.89	3,385	2,975	.92	660	22	1,271	43	1,020	19
20	Mar. 31	Abingdon	3,218	1,898	14,507	33,109	10.3	36	2	1,846,000	.0012	2,067	.64	3,015	2,248	.70	444	20	1,272	57	1,020	20
21	Apr. 30	Bushnell	2,906	1,832	9,844	32,195	11.1	34	1	1,607,000	.0012	1,772	.61	2,828	2,261	.78	505	22	1,032	46	720	21
22	May 31	Petersburg[13]	2,586	-------	-------	28,636	11.1	27	1	1,700,000	.0011	1,649	.64	2,232	1,581	.61	537	34	600	38	600	22
23	Apr. 30	Carthage	2,575	1,197	5,851	31,556	12.3	57	1	1,267,000	.0012	1,389	.54	4,794	3,181	1.24	1,653	52	812	26	610	23
24	June 30	Roodhouse	2,557	1,285	4,025	12,254	4.8	36	1	874,000	.0010	896	.35	1,144	1,067	.42	317	30	653	61	650	24
25	Apr. 30	Rushville	2,480	1,739	6,389	18,865	7.6	30	1	1,108,000	.0012	1,226	.50	1,673	1,233	.50	263	21	622	50	600	25
26	Apr. 30	Lewistown	2,355	1,430	5,781	11,975	5.1	21	1	1,014,000	.0012	1,103	.47	1,330	1,069	.45	290	27	420	39	420	26
27	Apr. 30	Carrollton	2,285	975	6,213	12,068	5.3	33	1	1,236,000	.0012	1,450	.63	1,519	1,422	.62	244	17	662	47	650	27
28	June 30	Knoxville	2,241	835	6,437	23,102	10.3	30	1	992,000	.0012	621	.28	1,359	1,185	.53	414	35	480	41	480	28
29	Apr. 30	Morton[4]	2,241	618	4,029	13,511	6.0	11	1	1,209,000	.0009	1,000	.45	2,399	1,005	.45	402	40	197	20	197	29
30	May 31	Farmington	2,225	800	9,677	18,416	8.3	6	1	922,000	.0012	1,049	.47	1,449	1,404	.63	509	36	435	31	296	30
		Sub-total	411,772	147,961	813,868	2,779,088				$287,903,000		$280,008		$376,943	$297,604		$78,202		$138,780		$31,901	

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[3] Township library.
[4] Village or town library.
[7] Does not include debt service or capital expense.
[9] Extends service by contact to East Peoria and Washington.
[13] Reregistration and inventory in progress.

REGION 4, (Concluded)

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		Brought forward	411,772	147,961	813,868	2,779,088				$287,903,000		$280,008		$376,943	$297,604		$78,202		$138,780		$31,901	
31	Mar. 31	Mt. Sterling	2,140	1,202	5,109	12,420	5.8	30	1	1,019,000	$.0012	1,126	$0.53	1,532	1,329	$0.62	266	20	519	39	391	31
32	Apr. 30	Mason City	1,984	718	6,803	16,148	8.1	24	1	791,000	.0011	758	.38	1,165	997	.50	326	33	547	55	540	32
33	Mar. 31	Delavan[3]	1,897	1,286	-------	13,186	7.0	36	1	2,062,000	.0011	2,109	1.11	3,104	1,813	.96	335	18	1,130	62	1,130	33
34	Apr. 30	Minonk	1,897	1,219	8,146	12,489	6.6	30	1	656,000	?	1,525	.80	1,803	1,781	.94	267	15	960	54	960	34
35	May 31	Warsaw[7]	1,895	864	8,311	14,039	7.4	20½	1	887,000	.0011	933	.49	1,336	853	.45	262	31	300	35	292	35
36	Apr. 30	Eureka	1,714	930	5,793	15,602	9.1	15	1	811,000	?	914	.53	1,340	1,038	.61	282	27	300	29	300	36
37	Apr. 30	Winchester	1,651	457	5,349	10,280	6.2	32	1	837,000	.0012	909	.55	1,180	1,134	.69	32	03	495	44	495	37
38	May 9	Hamilton	1,642	1,172	5,547	7,316	4.5	18	1	1,716,000	.0008	1,289	.79	1,557	1,298	.79	361	28	480	37	480	38
39	June 30	El Paso	1,621	949	6,333	15,663	9.7	25	1	843,000	?	1,032	.64	1,502	1,345	.83	365	27	651	48	600	39
40	July 5	Barry	1,545	898	5,439	8,094	5.2	15	1	561,000	.0010	606	.39	1,147	674	.44	193	29	260	39	260	40
41	Apr. 30	Pittsfield	1,485	2,053	14,157	51,346	34.6	27	1	1,177,000	.0012	1,353	.91	2,187	1,957	1.32	473	24	720	37	720	41
42	Mar. 31	Augusta[3]	1,479	50	12,028	9,799	6.6	15	----	1,346,000	.0010	1,273	.86	2,224	1,056	.71	535	51	104	10	-------	42
43	Apr. 30	Virginia	1,418	509	3,360	7,621	5.4	9	1	759,000	.0011	798	.56	846	792	.56	141	18	420	53	420	43
44	May 31	Waverly	1,385	901	5,297	9,555	6.9	12	1	718,000	.0012	624	.45	1,572	1,408	1.02	209	15	300	21	300	44
45	May 31	Elmwood	1,348	1,649	5,000	8,689	6.4	18	1	740,000	.0012	955	.71	1,085	618	.46	158	26	300	49	300	45
46	Apr. 30	La Harpe[4]	1,322	542	8,826	8,886	6.7	12	1	526,000	.0012	566	.43	1,304	967	.73	249	26	286	30	286	46
47	Apr. 30	Atlanta[3]	1,290	800	9,649	10,100	7.8	9	1	1,624,000	?	728	.56	1,159	968	.75	389	40	240	25	240	47
48	Mar. 31	Yates City[3]	1,286	466	4,091	10,165	7.9	6½	1	1,640,000	.0005	679	.53	1,442	1,091	.85	532	49	240	22	240	48
49	May 31	Griggsville	1,266	374	3,604	3,974	3.1	12½	1	285,000	.0012	288	.23	691	495	.39	65	13	180	36	180	49
50	Apr. 30	Nauvoo	1,088	459	5,409	14,637	13.5	18	1	404,000	.0012	312	.29	503	379	.35	52	14	264	70	264	50
51	Apr. 30	Camp Point[4]	1,084	472	3,545	5,021	4.6	8	1	410,000	.0012	446	.41	616	381	.35	95	25	120	31	120	51
52	June 30	Greenfield	1,006	-------	2,458	3,597	3.6	12	1	545,000	.0006	448	.45	604	455	.45	62	14	210	46	210	52
53	Apr. 30	Princeville	996	595	4,587	6,136	6.2	22	1	531,000	.0012	598	.60	942	933	.94	143	15	300	32	300	53
54	Apr. 30	Tremont[4]	935	442	1,973	4,667	5.0	7	1	364,000	.0010	300	.32	820	565	.60	140	25	96	17	96	54
55	Apr. 30	Minier[4]	737	437	1,739	1,665	2.3	9	1	382,000	.0009	355	.48	372	371	.50	57	15	128	35	128	55
56	Mar. 31	Brimfield[4]	618	159	2,732	6,742	10.9	12	1	185,000	.0009	81	.13	186	136	.22	89	65	-------	----	-------	56
57	Feb. 28	Oneida[2]	556	-------	5,218	3,739	6.7	10	1	-------	-------	674	1.21	1,224	556	1.00	88	16	180	32	180	57
58	Dec. 31	Altona[2]	480	-------	-------	-------	----	----	----	-------	-------	-------	----	-------	-------	----	-------	----	-------	----	-------	58
59	Apr. 30	Elkhart[4]	436	329	4,280	3,792	8.7	8	1	181,000	.0012	224	.51	1,743	1,092	2.50	226	13	120	11	120	59
		Total	450,969	167,893	968,651	3,074,456	6.8			$309,903,000		$301,911	$0.67	$418,229	$330,274	$0.73	$84,594	26	$148,630	45	$40,323	

[2] Endowed library.
[3] Township library.
[4] Village or town library.
[7] Does not include debt service or capital expense.

REGION 5—35 LIBRARIES

Number	Date of report	Library	Registration: Population 1940	Registration: Borrowers	Book record: Total volumes	Book record: Total circulation	Book record: Circulation per capita	Hours open per week	Staff full time	Income: Total tax valuation	Income: Library tax rate	Income: Tax income	Income: Tax income per capita	Income: Total income	Expenditures: Total expenditures	Expenditures: Expenditures per capita	Expenditures: Books, binding, periodicals	Expenditures: Per cent for books, binding, periodicals	Expenditures: Salaries	Expenditures: Per cent for salaries	Expenditures: Salary of librarian	Number
1	Dec. 31	East St. Louis	75,609	13,329	50,840	212,181	2.8	72	9	$38,755,000	$.00074	$28,415	$0.38	$37,475	$25,928	$0.34	$5,320	21	$15,513	60	$3,600	1
2	Apr. 30	Alton[2]	31,255	7,387	30,587	67,196	2.1	51	3					13,211	10,667	.34	2,134	20	3,150	30	1,800	2
3	Apr. 30	Belleville	28,405	12,903	46,646	211,989	7.5	75	6	16,036,000	.00118	16,200	.57	28,228	17,124	.60	5,000	29	7,710	45	2,100	3
4	Apr. 30	Granite City	22,974	9,718	23,798	131,873	5.7	63	4	10,040,000	.00092	8,957	.39	13,025	11,600	.50	3,552	31	4,732	41	1,800	4
5	Apr. 16	Centralia	16,343	3,594	12,250	48,330	3.0	51	3	6,418,000	.0012	7,453	.46	9,438	7,154	.44	1,498	21	3,393	47	1,320	5
6	Mar. 31	Mt. Vernon	14,724	2,631	13,285	63,168	4.3	42	3	5,639,000	?	6,766	.46	7,416	6,411	.44	1,353	21	2,883	45	1,283	6
7	Apr. 30	Collinsville	9,767	2,484	9,187	43,998	4.5	46	1	3,496,000	.00177	5,548	.57	7,824	6,030	.62	1,554	26	1,200	20	900	7
8	Apr. 30	Wood River	8,197	4,731	9,327	54,420	6.6	60	1	4,353,000	.0012	5,059	.62	8,092	5,981	.73	1,767	30	2,047	34	1,080	8
9	Apr. 30	Edwardsville	8,008	2,840	9,858	29,575	3.7	30	1	4,571,000	.00095	3,238	.40	4,697	3,843	.48	1,079	28	1,014	26	975	9
10	Mar. 31	Lawrenceville[3]	7,917	4,232	14,135	61,257	7.7	54	1	4,428,000	?	4,367	.55	5,056	4,893	.62	1,360	28	2,053	42	1,440	10
11	Apr. 30	Olney	7,831	2,112	6,761	14,699	1.9	36	1	4,383,000	?	3,366	.43	3,506	2,847	.36	465	16	1,238	43	1,080	11
12	Mar. 31	Madison[4]	7,782	1,263	7,083	31,221	4.0	58	1	2,913,000	.00112	3,224	.41	4,414	2,603	.34	871	34	1,080	41	1,080	12
13	Apr. 30	DuQuoin[11,12]	7,515	690	4,096	10,656	1.4	36		2,970,000	.0007	1,600	.21	1,770	1,486	.20	165	11				13
14	Apr. 30	Salem[7]	7,319	3,107	6,767	18,901	2.6	33	1	2,431,000	.0010	2,337	.32	3,586	2,393	.33	912	45	1,067		999	14
15	Apr. 30	Litchfield	7,048	2,706	10,803	42,529	6.0	36	1	2,414,000	.0012	2,735	.39	3,459	3,480	.49	906	26	1,397	40	1,320	15
16	Feb. 28	Robinson[3]	7,009	3,369	14,619	57,328	8.2	60	2	3,986,000	.0012	4,178	.60	7,216	4,828	.69	900	19	2,770	57	1,800	16
17	May 31	Flora	5,474	1,835	2,896	8,461	1.5	36	2	1,749,000	.0011	1,800	.33	2,624	1,863	.34	371	20	720	39	480	17
18	Apr. 30	Venice	5,454	865	2,183	23,018	4.2	27	1	3,999,000	.00077	2,853	.52	5,993	1,896	.35	852	45	674	36	660	18
19	Apr. 30	Vandalia	5,288	2,185	8,586	37,191	7.0	30	1	2,375,000	.0012	2,567	.49	3,072	2,559	.48	906	35	1,081	42	960	19
20	Apr. 30	Chester	5,110	1,853	6,512	36,992	7.2	30	2	2,046,000	.0010	2,402	.47	3,694	3,659	.72	168	05	1,140	31	840	20
21	Apr. 30	Carlinville	4,965	3,848	6,654	23,398	4.7	28½	1	1,501,000	.0012	1,601	.32	2,110	2,012	.41	325	16	985	49	720	21
22	Apr. 30	East Alton[4,8]	4,680	1,754	2,918	16,147	3.5	21	1	1,785,000	.0012											22
23	Apr. 30	Hillsboro	4,514	2,248	9,229	25,795	5.7	39	2	1,975,000	.0012	2,400	.53	3,069	2,557	.57	406	16	1,236	48	960	23
24	Apr. 30	Staunton	4,212	2,475	6,378	14,362	3.4	16	1	1,022,000	.0012	988	.23	1,596	1,318	.31	600	46	540	41	540	24
25	Mar. 31	Highland	3,820	1,536	6,858	22,801	6.0	36	1	2,352,000	.0010	2,116	.55	4,647	3,449	.90	419	12	1,428	41	1,380	25
26	Mar. 31	Greenville	3,391	3,000	6,668	22,328	6.6	39	1	2,132,000	.0009	1,746	.51	2,896	1,798	.53	276	15	820	46	720	26
27	May 31	Pinckneyville[6]	3,146							1,548,000	.0010											27
28	May 7	Virden	3,041	1,318	3,173	5,562	1.8	36	1	732,000	.0012	702	.23	902	731	.24	184	25	312	43	312	28
29	Apr. 30	Carlyle	2,591	491	2,587	3,824	1.5	7	1	966,000	.0012	1,074	.41	1,190	839	.32	204	24	203	24	182	29
30	June 30	Waterloo	2,361	638	2,388	9,594	4.0	6	1	1,673,000	?	1,113	.47	1,276	1,153	.49	67	06				30
31	Apr. 30	Newton	2,347	1,255	4,544	15,502	6.6	18	1	712,000	.0010	740	.32	924	678	.29	405	60	159	23	159	31
32	Apr. 30	Roxana[4]	1,255	556	1,544	13,778	11.0	36	1			1,940	1.55	2,506	1,773	1.41	605	34	1,026	58	960	32
33	Apr. 30	Bunker Hill[8]	1,082					9	1	311,000	.0012						67		124		108	33
34	June 30	Ashley[11]	720	353	1,502	7,890	11.0	36	1	280,000	.0009	244	.34	369	250	.35	91	36	144	58	144	34
35	Mar. 31	Richview[3,11]	571	385	5,398	5,820	10.1	6	1	261,000	.0009	217	.38	496	341	.60	205	60				35
		Total	331,725	103,691	350,060	1,391,784	4.2			$140,374,000		$127,946	$0.39	$195,777	$144,144	$0.43	$34,987	24	$61,839	43	$31,702	

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[3] Township library.
[4] Village or town library.
[6] No report.
[7] Does not include debt service or capital expense.
[8] Incomplete.
[11] Librarian's salary paid by W P A.
[12] Report covers 10 months.

REGION 6

22 LIBRARIES

Number	Date of report	Library	Registration: Population 1940	Registration: Borrowers	Book record: Total volumes	Book record: Total circulation	Book record: Circulation per capita	Hours open per week	Staff full time	Income: Total tax valuation	Income: Library tax rate	Income: Tax income	Income: Tax income per capita	Income: Total income	Expenditures: Total expenditures	Expenditures: Expenditures per capita	Expenditures: Books, binding, periodicals	Expenditures: Per cent for books, binding, periodicals	Expenditures: Salaries	Expenditures: Per cent for salaries	Expenditures: Salary of librarian	Number
1	Dec. 31	Cairo	14,407	8,338	31,143	112,804	7.8	66	5	$7,619,000	$.0012	$6,669	$0.46	$7,193	$7,738	$0.54	$1,835	24	$4,043	52	$1,860	1
2	Apr. 30	West Frankfort	12,383	2,824	5,561	39,358	3.1	36	2	2,022,000	.0010	1,495	.12	2,614	1,999	.16	477	24	900	45	480	2
3	Apr. 30	Harrisburg	11,455	4,485	11,423	54,128	4.7	42	2	2,890,000	.0012	3,136	.27	3,479	3,569	.31	965	27	1,370	38	960	3
4	Apr. 30	Herrin	9,352	4,830	5,915	37,955	4.1	36	2	2,197,000	.0012	1,518	.16	1,692	1,780	.19	105	06	1,500	84	1,020	4
5	Apr. 15	Marion	9,251	3,952	12,141	43,178	4.7	36	2	2,690,000	.0012	2,866	.31	3,604	3,164	.34	677	21	1,435	45	957	5
6	Apr. 30	Murphysboro[14]	8,976	2,119	5,058	27,013	3.0	36	1	2,526,000	.0012	2,795	.31	3,783	3,682	.41	1,570	43	239	06	-------	6
7	May 31	Carbondale	8,550	2,964	8,417	38,571	4.5	46	1	2,159,000	.0012	2,482	.29	4,329	2,465	.29	886	36	858	35	637	7
8	Apr. 30	Benton	7,372	2,002	5,281	25,837	3.5	42	1	1,398,000	.0010	1,069	.15	1,247	1,259	.17	104	08	540	43	540	8
9	June 30	Mt. Carmel	6,987	5,226	9,754	66,294	9.5	48	2	2,918,000	.0012	3,312	.47	3,564	3,530	.51	878	25	1,500	43	900	9
10	June 30	Metropolis	6,287	2,658	8,273	41,314	6.6	30	2	2,070,000	?	1,574	.25	2,589	2,319	.37	549	24	1,320	57	840	10
11	Apr. 30	Johnston City	5,418	3,683	3,856	22,411	4.1	24	1	742,000	.0012	668	.12	734	512	.09	78	15	185	36	185	11
12	June 30	Carmi	4,098	1,879	5,993	15,939	3.9	27	1	814,000	?	905	.22	1,229	1,117	.27	332	30	360	32	360	12
13	Apr. 30	Anna[2,7]	4,092	3,878	11,670	16,239	4.0	42	2	-------	-------	-------	-------	9,142	1,833	.45	300	16	630	34	600	13
14	Apr. 30	Fairfield	4,008	2,285	6,451	24,279	6.1	30	1	1,529,000	.0012	1,980	.49	2,363	2,065	.52	580	28	720	35	720	14
15	Apr. 30	Christopher	3,833	3,072	2,298	9,814	2.6	10	1	612,000	.0010	421	.11	1,488	544	.14	257	47	130	24	130	15
16	Apr. 30	Zeigler[11]	3,006	1,087	2,151	12,311	4.1	42	----	443,000	.0010	340	.11	478	372	.12	320	86	28	08	-------	16
17	Apr. 30	McLeansboro	2,528	-------	-------	-------	-------	-------	-------	646,000	?	-------	-------	-------	-------	-------	-------	-------	-------	-------	-------	17
18	Apr. 30	Grayville	2,240	1,152	4,550	7,292	3.3	30	1	358,000	.0012	387	.17	516	445	.20	57	13	180	40	180	18
19	Apr. 30	Mounds[11,12]	2,144	391	3,068	3,436	1.6	60	----	727,000	.0012	519	.24	546	398	.19	126	32	-------	----	-------	19
20	Apr. 30	Albion	1,855	1,082	5,331	7,024	3.8	13	1	759,000	.0012	840	.45	1,304	903	.49	343	38	347	38	330	20
21	June 30	Golconda	1,301	1,164	5,258	13,094	10.0	24	1	443,000	.0012	495	.38	953	628	.48	161	26	180	29	180	21
22	June 30	Vienna[11]	1,173	960	1,719	4,280	3.6	30	----	494,000	.0012	477	.41	908	326	.28	182	56	-------	----	-------	22
		Total	130,716	60,031	155,311	622,571	4.8			$36,056,000		$33,948	$0.26	$53,755	$40,648	$0.31	$10,782	27	$16,465	41	$10,879	

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[11] Librarian's salary paid by W P A.
[12] Circulation covers 7 months.
[14] Librarian's salary paid by B. & P. W. Club.

DIRECTORY

PUBLIC LIBRARIES «» LIBRARIANS
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PUBLIC LIBRARIES—DIRECTORY

No.	Place	County	Region	Name of Library	No.
1	Abingdon	Knox	4	John Mosser Public Library	1
2	Albion	Edwards	6	Public Library	2
3	Aledo[3]	Mercer	4	Mercer Township Library	3
4	Algonquin[4]	McHenry	1	Public Library	4
5	Alton[2]	Madison	5	Jennie D. Hayner Memorial Library	5
6	Altona[2]	Knox	4	Ransom Public Library	6
7	Amboy	Lee	1	Pankhurst Memorial Library	7
8	Anna[2]	Union	6	Stinson Memorial Library	8
9	Antioch[3]	Lake	1	Public Library	9
10	Arcola	Douglas	3	Public Library	10
11	Argo[4]	Cook	2	Summit-Argo Public Library	11
12	Arlington Heights[4]	Cook	2	Public Library	12
13	Arthur[4]	Douglas, Moultrie	3	Public Library	13
14	Ashley	Washington	5	Public Library	14
15	Ashton[2]	Lee	1	Mills and Petrie Memorial Library and Gynmasium	15
16	Assumption	Christian	3	Public Library	16
17	Atkinson[3]	Henry	1	Public Library	17
18	Atlanta	Logan	4	Public Library	18
19	Augusta[3]	Hancock	4	Township Public Library	19
20	Aurora	Kane	2	Public Library	20
21	Barrington[4]	Cook, Lake	2	Public Library	21
22	Barry	Pike	4	Public Library	22
23	Batavia[3]	Kane	2	Township Public Library	23
24	Beardstown	Cass	4	Public Library	24
25	Belleville	St. Clair	5	Public Library	25
26	Bellwood[4]	Cook	2	Public Library	26
27	Belvidere	Boone	1	Ida Public Library	27
28	Bement[3]	Piatt	3	Public Library	28
29	Benton	Franklin	6	Public Library	29
30	Berwyn	Cook	2	Public Library	30
31	Bethany[3]	Moultrie	3	Marrowbone Township Library	31
32	Bloomington	McLean	3	Withers Public Library	32
33	Blue Island	Cook	2	Public Library	33
34	Bradford[4]	Stark	1	Public Library	34
35	Brimfield[4]	Peoria	4	Public Library	35
36	Brookfield[4]	Cook	2	Free Public Library	36
37	Buda[4]	Bureau	1	Mason Memorial Library	37
38	Bunker Hill	Macoupin	5	Public Library	38
39	Bushnell	McDonough	4	Public Library	39
40	Cairo	Alexander	6	Public Library	40
41	Calumet City[5]	Cook	2	Public Library	41
42	Cambridge[3]	Henry	1	Township Public Library	42
43	Camp Point[4]	Adams	4	Public Library	43
44	Canton	Fulton	4	Parlin Public Library	44
45	Carbondale	Jackson	6	Public Library	45
46	Carlinville	Macoupin	5	Carlinville Library	46
47	Carlyle	Clinton	5	Case-Halsted Public Library	47
48	Carmi	White	6	Carnegie Public Library	48
49	Carpentersville[2]	Kane	2	Literary and Library Associations	49
50	Carrollton	Greene	4	Public Library	50
51	Carthage	Hancock	4	Free Public Library	51
52	Casey[3]	Clark	3	Kline Memorial Library	52
53	Centralia	Clinton, Marion	5	Public Library	53
54	Cerro Gordo[3]	Piatt	3	Hope Welty Township Library	54
55	Champaign	Champaign	3	Public Library	55
56	Charleston	Coles	3	Carnegie Public Library	56
57	Chatsworth[4]	Livingston	3	Public Library	57
58	Chenoa[3]	McLean	3	Public Library	58
59	Chester	Randolph	5	Cole Public Library	59
60	Chicago	Cook	2	Public Library	60
61	Chicago[2]	Cook	2	John Crerar Library	61
62	Chicago	Cook	2	Municipal Reference Library	62
63	Chicago[2]	Cook	2	Newberry Library	63
64	Chicago Heights	Cook	2	Free Public Library	64
65	Chillicothe[3]	Peoria	4	Township Public Library	65
66	Christopher	Franklin	6	Public Library	66
67	Cicero[4]	Cook	6	Public Library	67
68	Cisco[3]	Piatt	3	Willow Branch Township Library	68
69	Clinton	DeWitt	3	Vespasian Warner Public Library	69
70	Collinsville	Madison	5	Memorial Library	70
71	Cordova[3]	Rock Island	1	Township Public Library	71
72	Crystal Lake[5]	McHenry	1	Public Library	72

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PUBLIC LIBRARIES—DIRECTORY

No.	Librarian	President of Board	Address of President	No.
1	Mrs. Anna M. Bowton	U. S. Ritchey	Abingdon	1
2	Mary Helen Triggs	Mrs. Charles Bowman	Albion	2
3	Evelyn Voight	Mrs. Vern H. Moberg	Aledo	3
4	Mrs. Lillian Bolander	Charles D. Adamek	Algonquin	4
5	Mrs. Jane W. Bassett	Mrs. J. D. McAdams	1407 Liberty St	5
6	Sadie Lawrence	Phillip Johnson	Altona	6
7	Mrs. Neita J. Vaughan	E. S. Green	Amboy	7
8	Mrs. Carita S. Alden	Walter C. Mangold	Anna	8
9	Mary Stanley	Mrs. Eleanor Mitcheli	Antioch	9
10	Ullainee Ghere	A. B. Dimond	Arcola	10
11	Helen L. Urban	Louis Gleatis	7622 62nd St., Summit	11
12	Mrs. Mary Jane Baxter	A. T. Capps, Jr	518 S. Vail St	12
13	Mrs. Harry Davis	J. D. Eads	Arthur	13
14	Sadie C. Foster	Mrs. H. S. Spear	Ashley	14
15	Mrs. W. G. Clover	Dr. C. R. Root	Ashton	15
16	Mrs. Helen J. Rhoades	Mrs. Edith Grau	Assumption	16
17	Mrs. Cora Lloyd	Mrs. Lucy Humphreys	Atkinson	17
18	Mrs. E. Gail Haines	C. H. Tuttle	Atlanta	18
19	Minnie Mabel Swanson	Glenn Jones	Augusta	19
20	Eleanor Plain	Frank G. Plain	305 Downer Pl	20
21	Olive Dobson	Mrs. E. L. Campbell	560 Summit St	21
22	Irene Crawford	Mrs. Bess Watson	Barry	22
23	Miriam Havighurst	Franklin G. Elwood	173 Illinois	23
24	Hallie Seeger	Howard J. Brannan	307 E. 3rd St	24
25	Bella Steuernagel	Max Eckhardt	422 W. Main St	25
26	Lois M. Zearing	Mrs. Hedwig Morrison	523 S. 22nd	26
27	Mrs. Ruth Wilcox	Richard V. Carpenter	508 S. State St	27
28	Merret Winegarner	Mrs. V. G. McPherson	Bement	28
29	Dorothy Seeber	Mrs. W. H. Hart	Benton	29
30	Margaret E. Ely	Gordon Best	3333 Euclid	30
31	Mrs. Cora M. Hudson	Mrs. I. E. DeBruler	Bethany	31
32	Thelma Van Ness	Spencer Ewing	1706 E. Washington St	32
33	Bertha E. Lietzau, Acting	John C. Joens	2521 W. Burr Oak St	33
34	Mrs. Lillian C. Plummer	R. D. Lackman	Bradford	34
35	Maxine McCartney	Mrs. R. B. Roberts	Brimfield	35
36	Mrs. Fredrika Wiley	Edmund J. Hawes	3709 Madison St	36
37	Grace Schoettler	D. R. Simms	Buda	37
38	Loretta M. Bartels	Charles E. Drew	Bunker Hill	38
39	Mrs. Grace Cleveland	Lute J. Barber	Bushnell	39
40	Elizabeth Hilboldt	Dr. Van Andrews	808½ Commercial St	40
41				41
42	Bertha Stoughton	Harley N. Rohm	Cambridge	42
43	Mrs. Bertha G. McCarty	Mrs. M. F. Henry	Camp Point	43
44	Dorotha Nelson	W. P. Ingersoll	Canton National Bank Bldg	44
45	Delbert W. Hamilton	Mrs. E. W. Reef	703 S. Rawlings St	45
46	Elizabeth Deadrick	H. J. Blue	W. Main St	46
47	Mrs. Lillie Means	H. C. Norcross	Carlyle	47
48	Etta Brandt	Joe Williams	Carmi	48
49	Rosalind D. Mitchell	E. C. Masters	Carpentersville	49
50	Laura L. Wright	Dr. N. D. Vedder	Carrollton	50
51	Dorothy Frazee	Mrs. L. W. Berry	Carthage	51
52	Mrs. Ava Marie Tingley	D. E. McReaken	Casey	52
53	Goddina L. Welden	C. S. Ravenscroft	236 N. Sycamore St	53
54	Esther Warfield	Mrs. C. R. Grove	Cerro Gordo	54
55	Ethel G. Kratz	W. F. Woods	1 Main St	55
56	Elizabeth Ogan	Mrs. Nellie Nicholson	941 First St	56
57	Alice Swarzwalder	Mrs. Martha W. Livingston	Chatsworth	57
58	Mrs. Louise Ballard	Rev. Harry A. Turner	Chenoa	58
59	Minnie F. Adams	Alice Cole	Chester	59
60	Carl B. Roden	Joseph B. Fleming	33 N. LaSalle	60
61	J. Christian Bay	Eugene M. Stevens		61
62	Frederick Rex			62
63	George B. Utley	Alfred E. Hamill	208 S. LaSalle St	63
64	May L. Donaldson	John Gravelot, Jr	Chicago Heights	64
65	Helen Bromilow	Joseph Baer	Chillicothe	65
66	Mrs. Flossie Thornsberry	C. E. Van Slyck	Christopher	66
67	Mrs. Rose Cuchna	Joseph Novak	2311 S. 61st Ct	67
68	Mrs. Bess Hitchens	Mrs. Zora M. Ater	Cisco	68
69	Lillian Kent	Mrs. Harry Gotti	Clinton	69
70	Myrtis Bowers	Mrs. V. R. Herr, Sr	502 W. Main St	70
71	Mrs. Millie Guinn	C. F. Settle	Cordova	71
72		Leon Lundahl	Crystal Lake	72

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73	Danville	Vermilion	3	Public Library	73
74	Decatur	Macon	3	Public Library	74
75	Deerfield[3]	Lake	1	West Deerfield Township Library	75
76	DeKalb	DeKalb	1	Public Library	76
77	DeLand[3]	Piatt	3	Public Library	77
78	Delavan[3]	Tazewell	4	Township Carnegie Library	78
79	DesPlaines	Cook	2	Public Library	79
80	Dixon	Lee	1	Public Library	80
81	Downers Grove[4]	DuPage	2	Free Public Library	81
82	Dundee[3]	Kane	2	Township Public Library	82
83	DuQuoin	Perry	5	Public Library	83
84	Dwight[4]	Livingston	3	Public Library	84
85	Earlville[3]	LaSalle	1	Earl Township Public Library	85
86	East Alton[4]	Madison	5	Public Library	86
87	East Moline	Rock Island	1	Public Library	87
88	East Peoria[3]	Tazewell	4	Public Library	88
89	East St. Louis	St. Clair	5	Public Library	89
90	Edwardsville	Madison	5	Public Library	90
91	Elgin[3]	Kane, Cook	2	Gail Borden Public Library	91
92	Elkhart[4]	Logan	4	Memorial Free Public Library	92
93	Elmhurst	DuPage	2	Free Public Library	93
94	Elmwood	Peoria	4	Public Library	94
95	Elmwood Park[4]	Cook	2	Public Library	95
96	El Paso	Woodford	4	Public Library	96
97	Eureka	Woodford	4	Public Library	97
98	Evanston	Cook	2	Public Library	98
99	Fairbury	Livingston	3	Dominy Memorial Library	99
100	Fairfield	Wayne	6	Public Library	100
101	Farmer City	DeWitt	3	Public Library	101
102	Farmington	Fulton	4	Public Library	102
103	Flora	Clay	5	Carnegie Public Library	103
104	Forest Park[4]	Cook	2	Public Library	104
105	Franklin Grove[4]	Lee	1	Public Library	105
106	Freeport	Stephenson	1	Public Library	106
107	Fulton	Whiteside	1	Public Library	107
108	Galena	JoDaviess	1	Public Library	108
109	Galesburg	Knox	4	Free Public Library	109
110	Galva[3]	Henry	1	Township Public Library	110
111	Geneseo[3]	Henry	1	Township Public Library	111
112	Geneva[3]	Kane	2	Township Public Library	112
113	Georgetown[5]	Vermilion	3	Public Library	113
114	Gibson City	Ford	3	William Moyer Library	114
115	Gilman[3]	Iroquois	3	Douglas Township Library	115
116	Glencoe[4]	Cook	2	Public Library	116
117	Glen Ellyn[4]	DuPage	2	Free Public Library	117
118	Glenview[4]	Cook	2	Public Library	118
119	Golconda	Pope	6	Public Library	119
120	Granite City	Madison	5	Public Library	120
121	Grant Park[4]	Kankakee	3	Public Library	121
122	Grayville	Edwards, White	6	Carnegie Library	122
123	Greenfield	Greene	4	Public Library	123
124	Greenup[3]	Cumberland	3	Carnegie Public Library	124
125	Greenville	Bond	5	Free Public Library	125
126	Gridley[3]	McLean	3	Public Library	126
127	Griggsville	Pike	4	Public Library	127
128	Hamilton	Hancock	4	Public Library	128
129	Hammond[3]	Piatt	3	Unity Township Public Library	129
130	Harrisburg	Saline	6	Mitchell-Carnegie Public Library	130
131	Harvard	McHenry	1	Delos F. Diggins Library	131
132	Harvey	Cook	2	Public Library	132
133	Havana	Mason	4	Public Library	133
134	Hennepin[1]	Putnam	1	Putnam County Library	134
135	Henry	Marshall	1	Public Library	135
136	Herrin	Williamson	6	Public Library	136
137	Heyworth[3,5]	McLean	3	Public Library	137
138	Highland	Madison	5	Louis Latzer Memorial Library	138
139	Highland Park	Lake	1	Public Library	139
140	Hillsboro	Montgomery	5	Public Library	140
141	Hillsdale[3]	Rock Island	1	Public Library	141
142	Hinsdale[4]	Cook, DuPage	2	Public Library	142
143	Homewood[4]	Cook	2	Public Library	143
144	Hoopeston	Vermilion	3	Public Library	144

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73	Sara Belle Seiwell	Percy Platt	202 N. Hazel	73
74	Minnie A. Dill	Franklin Shilling	Standard Office Bldg	74
75	Mrs. Gertrude Wolf	Richard Farmer	Deerfield	75
76	Mrs. Emily Minter	S. F. Parson	Public Library	76
77	Mabel Rodman	C. H. Porter	DeLand	77
78	Edith M. Pittsford	Mrs. Martin Anders	Delavan	78
79	Mrs. Elsie Earle	A. R. McAlpin	1520 Park Pl	79
80	Mrs. Margaret Scriven	Amos H. Bosworth	417 Brinton St	80
81	Jessie M. Bryce	Mrs. A. H. Simon	731 Maple St	81
82	Bertha Buckley	Elmer C. Smith	201 S. Lincoln St	82
83	Mrs. Bess Chesney	Florence Baird	21 S. Peach St	83
84	Mrs. Clyde L. Martin	Mrs. James H. Oughton	Dwight	84
85	Clara Binder	Harlow Miller	Earlville	85
86	Mrs. Olive McDonald	H. W. Ringering	East Alton	86
87	Marian DeTaeye	Dr. J. N. Kratana	East Moline	87
88	Mrs. Martha Hindman	Mrs. John Tjaden	Keil Ave	88
89	J. Lyon Woodruff	Dr. Walter Wilhelmj	1122A St. Clair	89
90	Winifred Burroughs	Thomas Walton	Edwardsville	90
91	Katherine Abbott	A. L. Metzel	54 N. Liberty St	91
92	Mrs. Charles Smith	Patrick Bohan	Elkhart	92
93	Ruth Strand	Mrs. A. H. Behrens	275 S. Kenilworth	93
94	Mrs. Charles Johnston	Mrs. Pauline Kemp	Elmwood	94
95	Mrs. Roberta A. McBride	Mrs. Frank J. Blaha	2232 N. 72nd St	95
96	Katherine Jenkins	R. A. Burster	El Paso	96
97	Mrs. Ruth Major	Mrs. Ermine Kesler	Eureka	97
98	Ida Faye Wright	C. M. Cartwright	2215 Lincoln St	98
99	Nelle Carrithers	A. C. Watson	Fairbury	99
100	Lila Stonemetz	B. J. Thomas	Fairfield	100
101	Mrs. Estella Weedman	Mrs. Martha McIntire	Farmer City	101
102	Minta Schoonover	Harlan Lowe	Farmington	102
103	Mrs. Mary L. Hanna	Rex Dale	Flora	103
104	Josephine Austin	Mrs. Frank Petersohn	7642 Adams	104
105	Clara Lahman	Mrs. R. M. Hussey	Franklin Grove	105
106	Ruth P. Hughes	Addison Bidwell	1145 W. Stephenson St	106
107	Kathleen Clendennin	Mrs. G. F. Van DeSand	Fulton	107
108	Jean Taggart	Mrs. Myrtle R. Heer	Galena	108
109	W. Curtis Wynn	Rev. J. A. Phelan	68 S. Cherry	109
110	Mrs. Eva Goodale	Mrs. Don J. Best	Galva	110
111	Mrs. Katherine L. Arzinger	Dr. F. W. Spencer	Geneseo	111
112	Katie Lu Hawkins	Paul E. Sabine	728 South St	112
113	Mrs. Ruth Judd	Mrs. J. A. Frazier	Georgetown	113
114	Mrs. Lucy Culter	T. L. Orr	Gibson City	114
115	Claire Louise Wurdell	George O. Cox	Gilman	115
116	Helen Beckwith	Willis H. Scott	Glencoe	116
117	Jean Spray	William T. Chism	635 Hillside Ave	117
118	Maxine Barnes	Robert L. Wyatt	Dewes St	118
119	Mrs. Nona Davis	Mrs. H. G. Maynor	Golconda	119
120	Mrs. Olive B. Stallings	Dawson Pugh, v. p	2678 Grand Granite	120
121	Cora Brooks	Mrs. G. C. King	Grant Park	121
122	Mrs. Anna Lyons	Mrs. Mary Richardson	Grayville	122
123	Esther Rives	Victor H. Haven	Greenfield	123
124	Mrs. Bonnie Kelly	George C. Holsapple	Greenup	124
125	Virginia Breuchaud	Mrs. G. B. Hoiles	Greenville	125
126	Mrs. Anna Neuhauser	Bessie G. Kent	Gridley	126
127	Mary L. Gibbs	Clara L. Hoyt	Griggsville	127
128	Jeanette Cress	Valantine Dadant	Hamilton	128
129	Laura A. Gilbride	Dessie E. Bodamer	Hammond	129
130	Agatha Collins	Clarence Bonnell	311 W. Poplar St	130
131	Mrs. Vera G. Knopp	W. J. Heatley	106 Church Blvd	131
132	Marcia Broek	John E. Yates	172 E. 154th St	132
133	Mrs. Guy R. Williams	Karl Dierker	Havana	133
134	Mrs. Vincent Jones	Mrs. George N. Mathis	McNabb, Ill	134
135	Jane Thomspon	Mrs. J. E. Reffensperger	Henry	135
136	Mrs. Aliene K. Veach	Rev. Maxwell A. Lowe	Herrin	136
137		Mrs. N. J. Hantover	Heyworth	137
138	E. Margaret Patton	Mrs. A. F. Kaeser	Highland	138
139	Mary Egan	J. D. Garnett	Highland Park	139
140	Earl Rush	H. J. Beckemeyer	620 Fairmount Pl	140
141		Reedus Tate	Hillsdale	141
142	Marcia Wheeler	Philip Williams	122 E. 3rd	142
143	Mrs. Sara Germeraad	Mrs. Rose Platenka	17925 Gottschalk Ave	143
144	Lillie E. Southwick	Mrs. Ralph Hay	Hoopeston	144

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145	Jacksonville	Morgan	4	Public Library	145
146	Jerseyville	Jersey	4	Free Library	146
147	Johnston City	Williamson	6	Public Library	147
148	Joliet	Will	2	Public Library	148
149	Kankakee	Kankakee	3	Public Library	149
150	Kewanee[3]	Henry	1	Township Public Library	150
151	Kirkland[4]	DeKalb	1	Public Library	151
152	Knoxville	Knox	4	Public Library	152
153	Lacon	Marshall	1	Public Library	153
154	LaFayette[4]	Stark	1	Reed Public Library	154
155	LaGrange[4]	Cook	2	Public Library	155
156	LaHarpe[4]	Hancock	4	Carnegie Library	156
157	Lake Bluff[4]	Lake	1	Public Library	157
158	Lake Forest	Lake	1	Public Library	158
159	LaSalle	LaSalle	1	Public Library	159
160	Lawrenceville[3]	Lawrence	5	Lawrence Township Library	160
161	Lena[4]	Stephenson	1	Public Library	161
162	LeRoy[2]	McLean	3	Crumbaugh Memorial Library	162
163	Lewistown	Fulton	4	Carnegie Library	163
164	Lexington	McLean	3	Smith Library	164
165	Libertyville	Lake	1	Cook Memorial Library	165
166	Lincoln	Logan	4	Public Library	166
167	Litchfield	Montgomery	5	Carnegie Public Library	167
168	Lockport[3]	Will	2	Township Public Library	168
169	Loda[3]	Iroquois	3	A. Herr Smith Township Library	169
170	Lombard[4]	DuPage	2	Plum Memorial Library	170
171	McLean[3]	McLean	3	Mt. Hope Township Library	171
172	McLeansboro	Hamilton	6	McCoy Memorial Library	172
173	Macomb	McDonough	4	Free Public Library	173
174	Madison[4]	Madison	5	Public Library	174
175	Malta[3]	DeKalb	1	Township Library	175
176	Manhattan[3]	Will	2	Township Public Library	176
177	Mansfield[3]	Piatt	3	Public Library	177
178	Marengo	McHenry	1	Public Library	178
179	Marion	Williamson	6	Carnegie Library	179
180	Marseilles	LaSalle	1	Public Library	180
181	Marshall	Clark	3	Public Library	181
182	Mason City	Mason	4	Public Library	182
183	Mattoon	Coles	3	Public Library	183
184	Maywood[4]	Cook	2	Public Library	184
185	Melrose Park[4]	Cook	2	Public Library	185
186	Mendota	LaSalle	1	Graves Public Library	186
187	Metropolis	Massac	6	Public Library	187
188	Milford[3]	Iroquois	3	Township Public Library	188
189	Milledgeville[2]	Carroll	1	Mary Fletcher Library	189
190	Minier[4]	Tazewell	4	Public Library	190
191	Minonk	Woodford	4	Filger Library	191
192	Moline	Rock Island	1	Public Library	192
193	Momence	Kankakee	3	Chipman Public Library	193
194	Monmouth[1]	Warren	4	Warren County Public Library	194
195	Monticello[3]	Piatt	3	Allerton Public Library	195
196	Morris	Grundy	1	Public Library	196
197	Morrison	Whiteside	1	Odell Public Library	197
198	Morton[4]	Tazewell	4	Public Library	198
199	Mounds	Pulaski	6	Public Library	199
200	Mt. Carmel	Wabash	6	Carnegie Public Library	200
201	Mt. Carroll[3]	Carroll	1	Township Public Library	201
202	Mt. Morris[4]	Ogle	1	Public Library	202
203	Mt. Sterling	Brown	4	Public Library	203
204	Mt. Vernon	Jefferson	5	Public Library	204
205	Moweaqua[4]	Shelby	3	Public Library	205
206	Murphysboro	Jackson	6	Sallie Logan Public Library	206
207	Naperville	DuPage	2	Nichols Library	207
208	Nauvoo	Hancock	4	Public Library	208
209	Newton	Jasper	5	Public Library	209
210	Normal[4]	McLean	3	Public Library	210
211	North Chicago	Lake	1	Public Library	211
212	Oak Park[4]	Cook	2	Public Library (Scoville Institute)	212
213	Odell[4]	Livingston	3	Public Library	213
214	Ogden[4]	Champaign	3	Rose Public Library	214
215	Oglesby	LaSalle	1	Public Library	215
216	Olney	Richland	5	Carnegie Public Library	216
217	Onarga[4]	Iroquois	3	Public Library	217
218	Oneida[2]	Knox	4	Greig Memorial Library	218

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147	Lillian Royster	Mrs. Roy E. Burton	Johnston City	147
148	Mrs. Rena Barickman	Mrs. Charles Russell, v. p.	63 N. Chicago Ave	148
149	Dorothy Brown	Fred Swannell	1171 E. Maple St	149
150	Elizabeth Curry	Mrs. A. W. Errett, Jr	524 S. Chestnut St	150
151	Mrs. Frank Moore	Mrs. Hazel Thurlby	Kirkland	151
152	Eila Hiler	Miss Fenimore Schwartz	219 W. North St	152
153	Lola Wilson	Sarah Atchison	Lacon	153
154	Mrs. Clara F. Boggs	Florence Krider	LaFayette	154
155	Rebecca Ditto	R. A. Pook	424 Blackstone	155
156	Mrs. Charity Shrier	Mrs. Alice T. Warner	LaHarpe	156
157	Mrs. Flora Coen	Walter C. Hall	503 Simpson St	157
158	Stella Glasgow	Alfred E. Hamill	1115 E. Illinois Rd	158
159	Tessie Yopp	James Finnern	146 Gooding	159
160	Lois Highsmith	Lyman W. Emmons	1114 11th St	160
161	Vera M. Houser	Gordon Nudd	Lena	161
162	Mrs. Roy Smith	R. B. Kline	LeRoy	162
163	Mary McCumber	Mrs. Lena Zempel	Lewistown	163
164	Mrs. Hazel Claggett	William McCully	Lexington	164
165	Mrs. Blanche A. Mitchell	K. H. Lovell	205 W. Cook St	165
166	Ida Webster	D. H. Harts	509½ Pulaski St	166
167	Vivian Hill	Mrs. Harry C. Stuttle	401 N. Jackson St	167
168	Helen Helmick	Philip Yost	818 Washington St	168
169	Mrs. Marion Goodell	S. M. Wilson	Loda	169
170		A. R. Kopan	30 E. Ash St	170
171	Mrs. Hazel L. Dye	Harry M. Palmer	McLean	171
172	Mrs. Virginia Prendergast	W. E. Severs	McLeansboro	172
173	Mrs. Ida Sturgeon	L. F. Gumbart	505 S. Randolph	173
174	Mrs. Sadie Crawford	Mrs. L. C. Harlan	1734 4th St	174
175	Beulah Harrington	Mrs. Agnes Heuber	Malta	175
176	Mrs. Dorothy Allen	Charles A. Bellward	Manhattan	176
177	Mrs. Daisy Van Gorder	Mrs. Ruth Warren	Mansfield	177
178	Mary Robb	Mrs. A. A. Crissey	Marengo	178
179	Mrs. Nannie G. Parks	E. M. Stotlar	1304 W. Main St	179
180	Florence Marsh	A. R. Workman	Marseilles	180
181	Mrs. Marjorie L. Dewey	George D. Farris	Marshall	181
182	Mrs. Garnet D. Chestnut	Mrs. G. B. Mathers	Mason City	182
183	Blanche Gray	Rev. Horace Batchelor	Mattoon	183
184	Vernell Dammeier	James Duffy	519 S. 6th St	184
185	Mrs. Alma Wolf	Jessie Lewis	Melrose Park	185
186	Sadie E. Wilcox	Mrs. B. Harry Reck	Mendota	186
187	Mary Metcalf	Frank Holzer	Metropolis	187
188	Mrs. Evelyn L. Rush	H. M. Ingalls	Milford	188
189	Mrs. Elizabeth Overholzer			189
190	Mrs. Abigail K. Hine	Mrs. Ethel Bird	Minier	190
191	Mrs. Laura M. Carter	J. W. Van Doren	Minonk	191
192	Alice Williams	Cyrus Churchill	501 15th	192
193	Lucy Brown	Mrs. C. H. Ruch	Momence	193
194		F. B. Pattee	701 E. Broadway	194
195	Lena Bragg	C. E. Corbett	114 E. Marion St	195
196	Luzetta Hutchinson	Dr. F. C. Bowker	219 W. Jefferson St	196
197	Mary Ward	W. E. Weaver	Morrison	197
198	Mrs. Louis Drexler	Ward Grundy	Morton	198
199	Mrs. Frank Hawkins	Mrs. W. L. Toler	Mounds	199
200	Mrs. Mabel Tevault	H. M. Hutchins	722 Pear St	200
201	Mrs. Roberta Williamson	N. C. Smith	102 S. Main St	201
202	Edith Hanstine	Mrs. D. E. Thompson	Mt. Morris	202
203	Mrs. Julia T. Clark	A. A. Curry	Mt. Sterling	203
204	Mrs. Margaret P. Baird	Mrs. Mary Dickson	314 N. 10th St	204
205	Mrs. Deborah Richardson	Cora M. Williams	Moweaqua	205
206	Mrs. Lee Pickler	H. D. Price	2121 Walnut St	206
207	Mary B. Egermann	T. F. Boecker, Sr	632 N. Center St	207
208	Marie Masberg	Mrs. A. M. Shaw	Nauvoo	208
209	Mrs. Carrie Davidson	Mrs. M. D. Yelvington	Newton	209
210	Margaret M. Hanna	W. H. Odell	Normal	210
211	Mrs. V. N. Staran	Frank E. DeYoe	818 18th St	211
212	Elsie McKay	Walter F. Cunningham	1046 N. Marion	212
213	Elizabeth T. Bronson	J. E. Lukens	Odell	213
214	Hazel Sadler	Mrs. Jennie K. Freese	Ogdon	214
215	Vivian Reber	Mrs. Edward Fitzgerald	332 Woodland Ave	215
216	Emma Bergmann	Henry N. Marshall	401 E. Chesnut St	216
217	Mrs. Anna Mae Uphoff	Merle Wright	Onarga	217
218	Mrs. Earl Bowman	J. H. Anderson	Oneida	218

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219	Oregon[3]	Ogle	1	Township Public Library	219
220	Orion[3]	Henry	1	Western Township Library	220
221	Ottawa	LaSalle	1	Reddick's Library	221
222	Palatine[4]	Cook	2	Public Library	222
223	Pana	Christian	3	Carnegie Schuyler Library	223
224	Paris	Edgar	3	Carnegie Public Library	224
225	Park Ridge	Cook	2	Public Library	225
226	Paxton	Ford	3	Carnegie Library	226
227	Pekin	Tazewell	4	Public Library	227
228	Peoria	Peoria	4	Public Library	228
229	Peoria Heights[4]	Peoria	4	Public Library	229
230	Peotone[3]	Will	2	Township Library	230
231	Peru	LaSalle	1	Public Library	231
232	Petersburg	Menard	4	Public Library	232
233	Pinckneyville	Perry	5	Public Library	233
234	Piper City[3,5]	Ford	3	Public Library	234
235	Pittsfield	Pike	4	Public Library	235
236	Plainfield[4]	Will	2	Public Library	236
237	Plano[3]	Kendall	1	Little Rock Township Library	237
238	Polo[3]	Ogle	1	Buffalo Township Library	238
239	Pontiac	Livingston	3	Public Library	239
240	Port Byron[3]	Rock Island	1	Township Public Library	240
241	Princeton	Bureau	1	Matson Public Library	241
242	Princeville[4]	Peoria	4	Public Library	242
243	Prophetstown[4]	Whiteside	1	Adams Memorial Library	243
244	Quincy	Adams	4	Free Public Library	244
245	Rantoul[4]	Champaign	3	Public Library	245
246	Richview[3]	Washington	5	Township Public Library	246
247	Ridgefarm[3]	Vermilion	3	Carnegie Library	247
248	River Forest[4]	Cook	2	Public Library	248
249	Riverside[4]	Cook	2	Public Library	249
250	Robinson[3]	Crawford	5	Township Carnegie Library	250
251	Rochelle[3]	Ogle	1	Flagg Township Library	251
252	Rock Falls[3]	Whiteside	1	Coloma Township Library	252
253	Rockford	Winnebago	1	Public Library	253
254	Rock Island	Rock Island	1	Public Library	254
255	Rockton[3]	Winnebago	1	Talcott Free Library	255
256	Roodhouse	Greene	4	Public Library	256
257	Roxana[4]	Madison	5	Public Library	257
258	Rushville	Schuyler	4	Public Library	258
259	St. Charles[3]	Kane	2	Public Library	259
260	Salem	Marion	5	Bryan-Bennett Library	260
261	Sandwich[3]	DeKalb	1	Township Public Library	261
262	Savanna[3]	Carroll	1	Township Public Library	262
263	Sheffield	Bureau	1	Public Library	263
264	Shelbyville	Shelby	3	Free Public Library	264
265	Sheldon[3]	Iroquois	3	Township Public Library	265
266	Silvis	Rock Island	1	Public Library	266
267	Somonauk[4]	DeKalb	1	Public Library	267
268	Springfield	Sangamon	4	Lincoln Library	268
269	Spring Valley	Bureau	1	Public Library	269
270	Staunton	Macoupin	5	Public Library	270
271	Sterling	Whiteside	1	Public Library	271
272	Stillman Valley[4]	Ogle	1	Julia E. Hull Library	272
273	Stockton[3]	JoDaviess	1	Township Public Library	273
274	Streator	LaSalle	1	Public Library	274
275	Sullivan	Moultrie	3	Public Library	275
276	Sycamore	DeKalb	1	Public Library	276
277	Taylorville	Christian	3	Public Library	277
278	Thomson[3]	Carroll	1	Township Public Library	278
279	Tiskilwa[4]	Bureau	1	Public Library	279
280	Toledo[3]	Cumberland	3	Sumpter Township Library	280
281	Toulon	Stark	1	Public Library	281
282	Tremont[4]	Tazewell	4	Esther Washburn Public Library	282
283	Tuscola	Douglas	3	Public Library	283
284	Urbana	Champaign	3	Free Library	284
285	Vandalia	Fayette	5	Public Library	285
286	Venice	Madison	5	Public Library	286
287	Vienna	Johnson	6	Carnegie Public Library	287
288	Villa Grove	Douglas	3	Public Library	288
289	Virden	Macoupin	5	Public Library	289
290	Virginia	Cass	4	Public Library	290

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PUBLIC LIBRARIES—DIRECTORY—Continued

No.	Librarian	President of Board	Address of President	No.
219	Emily H. Cartwright	Frank R. Nye	402 N. Fifth St	219
220	Florence D. Johnson	Walker W. Kerr	Orion	220
221	Vilda P. Beem	Edward McMahon	408 Houston	221
222	Lottie E. Hart	Walter Rennach	Palatine	222
223	Fannie Vidler	Mrs. Logan Griffith	Pana	223
224	Mrs. Nina D. Russell	Mrs. Lena Jones	Paris	224
225	Frances Holbrook	Rev. O. F. Jordan	810 Courtland St	225
226	Emma Meharry	H. P. Larson	211 W. Orleans St	226
227	Mrs. Helen K. Hanse	Ralph Dempsey	1220 S. 5th St	227
228	Earl Browning	Paul Herschel, Jr	337 Crescent Ave	228
229	Mrs. Florence Fisher	Mrs. Dorothy Peters	Peoria Heights	229
230	Mrs. Walter Koch	Mrs. H. P. Yung	Peotone	230
231	Evelyn Ball	Ernest C. Roth	Twin Oak Rd	231
232	Nelle M. Smith	Ross A. Nance	Petersburg	232
233	Lorraine Bommenschein	W. A. Nesbit	Pinckneyville	233
234		J. H Francis	Piper City	234
235	Helen Shadel	Mrs. W. E. Shastid	Pittsfield	235
236	Mrs. Mary H. Quilhot	S. L. Wylie	Plainfield	236
237	Mrs. Maude Henning	Charles W. Powers	Plano	237
238	Nellie Bredehoft	Alvin Joiner, Jr	Polo	238
239	Lois Farr	Stephen Adsit	420 W. South St	239
240	Amoret Alford	Robert H. Wendt	Port Byron	240
241	Agnes Robinson	C. D. Tedrow	Princeton	241
242	Mrs. Alice L. Auten	Nellie Martin	Princeville	242
243	Mary Frary	Mrs. B. M. Frary	Prophetstown	243
244	Sarah S. Molony	Charles L. Bartlett	302 N. Sixth St	244
245	Mrs. J. J. Gordon	Dr. F. N. Van Zant	Rantoul	245
246	I. R. Cohlmeyer	Mrs. Mabel Martin	P. O. Box 65	246
247	Mrs. Esther Ensor	Mrs. Edna H. Morton	Ridgefarm	247
248	Gladys Allison	John H. Heindel	934 Clinton	248
249	Grace W. Gilman	Dr. Joseph F. Jaros	346 Robinson Ct	249
250	Mrs. Vera C. Newlin	E. C. Wesner	Robinson	250
251	Leona Ringering	Mrs. Arthur Guest	1021 Fifth Ave	251
252	Geneva Hirth	Rev. James R. Uhlinger	212 Fourth Ave	252
253	Jane Hubbell	Arno W. Reinhardt	312 Welty Ave	253
254	Elsie Schocker	T. A. Pender	813 22nd St	254
255	Hilda Prag	G. C. Webber	Rockton	255
256	Helen Adams	A. B. Johnson	Roodhouse	256
257	Amenn Hamilton	H. D. Dale	Roxana	257
258	Rosa Jackson	Thomas W. Sweeny	Rushville	258
259	Mrs. Olma Bowman	Harold E. Colson	St. Charles	259
260	Mrs. Edgar Weems	A. C. Stewart	Salem	260
261	Pauline Newton	Mrs. L. M. Long	Sandwich	261
262	Hattie L. Greve	Albert M. Greison	Savanna	262
263	Inez Pervier	C. J. Genster	Sheffield	263
264	Mrs. Daisy Klauser	Bert Cutler	2503 S. First St	264
265	Serena Brown	Mary L. Anderson	Sheldon	265
266	Mrs. Jessie E. Knox	Mrs. Claude Kizer	Silvis	266
267	Mrs. Grace Powell	Mrs. William Brayton	Somonauk	267
268	Elizabeth Conover, Acting	G. W. Bunn, Jr	Springfield Marine Bank	268
269	Mrs. Abbie McFadden	Andrew Savio	Spring Valley	269
270	Mrs. A. R. Loeffler	Dominick Costa	Staunton	270
271	Mrs. Carolyn Brucker	Harold Challand	707 Avenue C	271
272		Mrs. William Craemer	Stillman Valley	272
273	Mrs. Carrie Hanson	Mrs. Zoe Rindesbacker	Stockton	273
274	Alice E. Arthur	A. C. Reeder	202 S. Park St	274
275	Ella Baker	Mrs. R. F. White	Sullivan	275
276	Viola Nielsen	J. M. Nelson	Sycamore	276
277	Mrs. Faith P. Cullin	C. F. Jewell	917 W. Main St	277
278	Mrs. Grace Strauch	Mrs. Charles McGinty	Thomson	278
279	Mrs. Ida Liebeck	Harry Russell	Tiskilwa	279
280	Mrs. Eva Lacy	Mrs. Florence Miller	Toledo	280
281	Mrs. Florence Kinney	Agnes H. Cole	Toulon	281
282	Ida Jeanpert	Mrs. Eva Cullinan	Tremont	282
283	Elsie Williams	R. C. Wulliman	Tuscola	283
284	Anne Benner	Dr. R. B. Browne	University of Illinois	284
285	Mrs. S. B. Murray	N. C. Gochenour	Vandalia	285
286	Mildred Kraft	John L. Fechte	214 Broadway St	286
287	Mrs. Lida P. Hollister	Mrs. P. T. Chapman	Vienna	287
288	Lillian Jones	Mrs. F. J. England	Villa Grove	288
289	Maxie M. Warren	Mrs. F. H. Shriver	Virden	289
290	Mrs. Alice Martin	I. S. Yaple	Virginia	290

PUBLIC LIBRARIES—DIRECTORY—Concluded

No.	Place	County	Region	Name of Library	No.
291	Warren[3]	JoDaviess	1	Public Library	291
292	Warsaw	Hancock	4	Free Public Library	292
293	Washington[3]	Tazewell	4	Public Library	293
294	Waterloo	Monroe	5	Talbot Library	294
295	Waterman[3]	DeKalb	1	Clinton Township Library	295
296	Watseka	Iroquois	3	Public Library	296
297	Waukegan	Lake	1	Public Library	297
298	Waverly	Morgan	4	Public Library	298
299	Wenona	Marshall	1	Bond Library	299
300	West Chicago	DuPage	2	Public Library	300
301	West Frankfort	Franklin	6	Crim Memorial Library	301
302	Western Springs[4]	Cook	2	Public Library	302
303	Westville[4]	Vermilion	3	Public Library	303
304	Wheaton	DuPage	2	Adams Memorial Library	304
305	White Hall[3]	Greene	4	Township Library	305
306	Wilmette[4]	Cook	2	Free Public Library	306
307	Wilmington[3]	Will	2	Township Public Library	307
308	Winchester	Scott	4	Public Library	308
309	Winnetka[4]	Cook	2	Free Public Library	309
310	Wood River	Madison	5	Public Library	310
311	Woodstock	McHenry	1	Public Library	311
312	Wyoming	Stark	1	Public Library	312
313	Yates City[3]	Knox	4	Salem Township Library	313
314	Zeigler	Franklin	6	Public Library	314
315	Zion	Lake	1	Public Library	315

[1] County library.
[2] Endowed library.
[3] Township library.
[4] Village or town library.
[5] New library.

A *Directory of Illinois Librarians* was issued last winter by the Junior Members of the Illinois Library Association. The directory contains the names of public, college, school and special librarians in the State and is the first list of its kind for Illinois.

PUBLIC LIBRARIES—DIRECTORY—Concluded

No.	Librarian	President of Board	Address of President	No.
291	Matie E. Lewis	Mrs. Nellie Renwick	Warren	291
292	Clara A. Stephens	Hiram G. Ferris	Warsaw	292
293	Mrs. Marguerite Harvey	Mrs. Mae D. Tanton	Washington	293
294	Edward F. Bode	U. J. Heyl	Waterloo	294
295	Joyce Greeley	David F. Hipple	Waterman	295
296	Ella Nichols	Dr. George Ross	Watseka	296
297	Ruth Gregory	Mrs. F. A. Besley	1505 N. Sheridan St.	297
298	Goldin Cline	Richard Whalen	Waverly	298
299	Mrs. Genevieve Hallam	Mrs. Katherine Harter	Wenona	299
300	Kirke Neltnor	Helen Isherwood	130 E. Washington	300
301	Mrs. Cora Griffin	Frank E. Trobaugh	132 W. Main St.	301
302	Mrs. Alice T. Dandridge	J. T. Meek	Western Springs	302
303		F. E. Dugas	Westville	303
304	Mrs. Beatrice Graham	J. C. Ferguson	Wheaton	304
305	Mrs. Ethel Ross	Richard Bell	White Hall	305
306	Anne L. Whitmack	Luther Benson	212 Woodbine Ave.	306
307	Eva L. Cassingham	Charles W. Reeves	Wilmington	307
308	Mrs. Abbie Markillie	Dr. W. O. Reilly	Winchester	308
309	Mary E. Hewes	Mrs. Carrie B. Prouty	561 Lincoln Ave.	309
310	Mrs. William E. Wolf	D. C. Burroughs	227 Whitelaw St.	310
311	Lura M. Wandrack	W. E. Chilcote	324 Vine St.	311
312	Leota A. Peard	Mrs. H. C. Jackson	Wyoming	312
313	Clara Batdorf	Mrs. Eva Chamberlain	Yates City	313
314	Eva Kaleta	Mrs. J. M. Johnston	Zeigler	314
315	Cornelia Shaw	Theodore Forby	2219 Elizabeth St.	315

The Freeport Public Library, with no special appropriation and no director, launched a Community School for Adults last winter. Approximately 100 Freeport adults were enrolled in the ten-week series of night courses offered in 14 subjects.

LIBRARIES ESTABLISHED SINCE 1931

No.	Place	County	Name of Library	Region	Date Established
1	Bement[3]	Piatt	Public Library	3	1937
2	Bethany[3]	Moultrie	Marrowbone Township Library	3	1939
3	Brimfield[4]	Peoria	Public Library	4	1935
4	Calumet City	Cook	Public Library	2	1939
5	Carlyle	Clinton	Case-Halstead Public Library	5	1938
6	Casey[3]	Clark	Kline Memorial Library	3	1937
7	Crystal Lake	McHenry	Public Library	1	1940
8	DuQuoin	Perry	Public Library	5	1939
9	East Peoria[3]	Tazewell	Public Library	4	1937
10	Elmwood Park[4]	Cook	Public Library	2	1938
11	Eureka	Woodford	Public Library	4	1936
12	Franklin Grove[4]	Lee	Public Library	1	1935
13	Georgetown[4]	Vermilion	Public Library	3	1940
14	Golconda	Pope	Public Library	6	1935
15	Hammond[3]	Piatt	Unity Township Library	3	1937
16	Hennepin[1]	Putnam	Putnam County Library	1	1938
17	Henry	Marshall	Public Library	1	1936
18	Heyworth[4]	McLean	Public Library	3	1941
19	Hillsdale[3]	Rock Island	Public Library	1	1938
20	Kirkland[4]	DeKalb	Public Library	1	1934
21	Mounds	Pulaski	Public Library	6	1938
22	Murphysboro	Jackson	Sallie Logan Public Library	6	1937
23	Newton	Jasper	Public Library	5	1935
24	Normal[4]	McLean	Public Library	3	1938
25	Peoria Heights[4]	Peoria	Public Library	4	1935
26	Peotone[3]	Will	Township Library	2	1937
27	Piper City[3]	Ford	Public Library	3	1941
28	Rantoul[4]	Champaign	Public Library	3	1935
29	Rock Falls[3]	Whiteside	Coloma Township Library	1	1939
30	Roxana[4]	Madison	Public Library	5	1939
31	Venice	Madison	Public Library	5	1937
32	Washington[3]	Tazewell	Public Library	4	1937
33	Westville[4]	Vermilion	Public Library	3	1939
34	Zion	Lake	Public Library	1	1935

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[3] Township Library.
[4] Village or town Library.

ARMY CAMP LIBRARIES

Area librarian, 6th Corps Area.....Mrs. Elizabeth McCloskey (U. S. Post Office, Chicago)

Chanute Field.....Esther Levin

Scott Field.....Private Robert Orr

Savanna Proving Grounds.....Captain Roy W. Fleming

Fort Sheridan.....Dorothy Russell

Camp Grant.....Caroline A. Binder

Rock Island Arsenal.....Captain Lester J. King

The Belleville, Savanna, and Rock Island public libraries extend free library service to the boys located in the adjacent army camps.

PUBLIC LIBRARIES ARRANGED BY LEGAL FORM OF ORGANIZATION

COUNTY LIBRARIES—2

Putnam County—Hennepin*

Warren County—Monmouth*

TOWNSHIP LIBRARIES—68

Aledo
Antioch
Atkinson
Augusta
Batavia
Bement
Bethany
Cambridge
Casey
Cerro Gordo
Chenoa**
Chillicothe
Cisco
Cordova
Deerfield
DeLand
Delavan
Dundee
Earlville
East Peoria
Elgin
Galva
Geneseo
Geneva
Gilman
Greenup
Gridley**
Hammond
Heyworth
Hillsdale
Kewanee
Lawrenceville
Libertyville
Lockport
Loda
McLean
Malta
Manhattan
Mansfield
Milford
Monticello
Mt. Carroll
Oregon
Orion
Peotone
Piper City
Plano
Polo
Port Byron
Richview
Ridgefarm
Robinson
Rochelle
Rock Falls
Rockton
St. Charles
Sandwich
Savanna
Sheldon
Stockton
Thomson
Toledo
Warren
Washington
Waterman
White Hall
Wilmington
Yates City

* Central County Library.
** Recently changed to township library.

VILLAGE AND INCORPORATED TOWN LIBRARIES—62

Algonquin
Argo
Arlington Heights
Arthur
Barrington
Bellwood
Bradford
Brimfield
Brookfield
Buda*
Camp Point
Chatsworth
Cicero
Downers Grove*
Dwight
East Alton
Elkhart
Elmwood Park
Forest Park*
Franklin Grove
Glencoe
Glen Ellyn
Glenview
Grant Park
Hinsdale
Homewood
Kirkland
LaFayette
LaGrange
LaHarpe
Lake Bluff
Lena
Lombard
Madison
Maywood
Melrose Park
Minier
Morton
Mt. Morris
Moweaqua
Normal
Oak Park
Odell
Ogden
Onarga
Palatine
Peoria Heights
Plainfield
Princeville
Prophestown
Rantoul
River Forest
Riverside
Roxana
Somonauk
Stillman Valley
Tiskilwa
Tremont
Western Springs
Westville
Wilmette
Winnetka

* Have commission form of government.

CITY LIBRARIES—173

Abingdon
Albion
Amboy
Arcola
Ashley
Assumption
Atlanta
Aurora
Barry
Beardstown*
Belleville
Belvidere
Benton
Berwyn
Bloomington
Blue Island
Bunker Hill
Bushnell
Cairo
Calumet City
Canton
Carbondale
Carlinville
Carlyle
Carmi
Carrollton
Carthage
Centralia
Champaign
Charleston
Chester
Chicago*
Chicago—Municipal Reference Library
Chicago Heights
Christopher
Clinton
Collinsville
Crystal Lake
Danville
Decatur
DeKalb
DesPlaines
Dixon
DuQuoin
East Moline
East St. Louis
Edwardsville
Elmhurst
Elmwood
El Paso

Eureka
Evanston
Fairbury
Fairfield
Farmer City
Farmington
Flora
Freeport
Fulton
Galena
Galesburg
Georgetown
Gibson City
Golconda
Granite City
Grayville
Greenfield
Greenville
Griggsville
Hamilton
Harrisburg
Harvard
Harvey
Havana
Henry
Herrin
Highland
Highland Park
Hillsboro
Hoopeston
Jacksonville*
Jerseyville
Johnston City
Joliet
Kankakee
Knoxville
Lacon
Lake Forest
LaSalle
Lewistown
Lexington
Lincoln
Litchfield
McLeansboro
Macomb
Marengo
Marion
Marseilles
Marshall
Mason City
Mattoon
Mendota
Metropolis
Minonk
Moline
Momence
Morris
Morrison
Mounds
Mt. Carmel
Mt. Sterling
Mt. Vernon
Murphysboro
Naperville
Nauvoo
Newton
North Chicago
Oglesby
Olney
Ottawa
Pana
Paris
Park Ridge
Paxton
Pekin
Peoria
Peru
Petersburg
Pinckneyville
Pittsfield
Pontiac
Princeton
Quincy
Rockford
Rock Island
Roodhouse
Rushville
Salem
Sheffield
Shelbyville
Silvis
Springfield
Spring Valley
Staunton
Sterling
Streator
Sullivan
Sycamore
Taylorville
Toulon
Tuscola
Urbana
Vandalia
Venice
Vienna
Villa Grove
Virden
Virginia
Warsaw
Waterloo
Watseka
Waukegan
Waverly
Wenona
West Chicago
West Frankfort
Wheaton
Winchester
Wood River
Woodstock
Wyoming
Zeigler
Zion

* Gives free service in the county upon request.

ENDOWED LIBRARIES—10

These libraries have no public tax support.

Alton.....Jennie D. Hayner Free Public Library Association
Altona.....Ransom Public Library
Anna**.....Stinson Memorial Library
Ashton.....Mills and Petrie Memorial Library and Gymnasium
Carpentersville.....Literary and Library Association
Chicago.....John Crerar Library
Chicago.....Newberry Library
LeRoy.....Crumbaugh Library
Milledgeville.....Mary Fletcher Library
Oneida.....Greig Memorial Library

** Gives free service to all Union County.

CONTRACTS

Evanston
- Glenview

Maywood
- Broadview
- Westchester

Oak Park
- Bellwood
- Elmwood Park
- Hillside School

Peoria
- East Peoria
- Washington

ASSOCIATION LIBRARIES

No.	Place	County	Population	Region	Name of Library	Librarian
1	Annawan	Henry	578	1	Annawan-Alba Library	Mrs. Vera K. Frick
2	Auburn	Sangamon	1,952	4	Community Library	Ada Campbell
3	Bensenville	DuPage	1,869	2	Club Library	Mrs. W. A. Newcomer
4	Byron	Ogle	1,113	1	Community Library	Margaret Wray
5	Chrisman	Edgar	1,112	3	Community Library	Agnes Holt
6	Fairview	Fulton	528	4	Library Reading Club	Mrs. B. B. Voorhees
7	Fox River Grove	McHenry	693	1	Public Library	Irene Dolezal, Secy.
8	Genoa	DeKalb	1,290	1	Public Library	Mrs. C. S. Hobson, Secy.
9	Grays Lake	Lake	1,182	1	Public Library	Mary F. Machotka
10	Hazel Crest	Cook	1,299	2	Hazel Crest Library	Ethel Schoning
11	Hebron	McHenry	627	1	Public Library	Mrs. Ruth Latham
12	Hoyleton	Washington	401	5	Public Library	Mrs. D. L. Wiegmann
13	Itasca	DuPage	787	2	Public Library	Mrs. Josephine McKenzie
14	Lake Zurich	Lake	421	1	Public Library	Mrs. H. J. Dernehl
15	Martinsville	Clark	1,296	3	Public Library	Ida Sanders
16	Mt. Pulaski	Logan	1,378	4	Mt. Pulaski Library	Mrs. Dan Blackford
17	Neponset	Bureau	520	1	Public Library	Mrs. E. C. Fields
18	Oblong	Crawford	1,547	5	Public Library	Nora Mouser
19	Oswego	Kendall	978	1	Woman's Club Library	Mrs. Albert Dittman
20	Reynolds	Rock Island Mercer	335	1	Community Library	Mrs. Nettie Pettit
21	Roanoke	Woodford	1,090	4	Community Library	T. P. Petigrew
22	Roseville	Warren	1,061	4	Roseville Library Association	Mrs. Bertha Boyd Patch
23	Shannon	Carroll	561	1	Community Library	Valley Heisler
24	Skokie	Cook	7,172	2	Free Public Library	Mrs. Bertha M. Rosche
25	Tonica	LaSalle	510	1	20th Century Club Library	Mrs. Harold Janz
26	Washburn	Woodford Marshall	937	4	Woman's Club Library	Lulu Brown
27	Wauconda	Lake	639	1	Free Public Library	Miss M. Harrod
28	Weldon	DeWitt	521	3	Public Library	Mrs. Caddie Thompson
29	Wyanet	Bureau	868	1	Raymond Sapp Memorial Library	Mrs. Jennie Bergh
30	Yorkville	Kendall	562	1	Public Library	Mrs. W. E. Hayden

About 800 Illinois homemakers are now taking advantage of the reading courses sponsored cooperatively by the Illinois State Library, the Home Economics Extension Service and the Illinois Federation of Home Bureaus.

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY GROUPS

PUBLIC

Library	Date Group Began	President or Chairman
1. Abingdon	----	No elected officers
2. Aurora		
Broadwell Branch	1940	Mrs. B. L. Livingston
Brady Branch	1941	Mrs. H. W. Beller
Lincoln Branch	1941	Mrs. F. A. Morey
3. Bellwood	1936	Mrs. George Lindgren
4. DeKalb	1937	Dr. Charles Howell
5. Elmhurst	1941	Mrs. Lee Sturges
6. Forest Park	1940	Willis Miller
7. Geneva	1939	Mrs. Lucas Maker
8. Glen Ellyn	1922	Mrs. John D. Filson
9. Glenview	1939	Mrs. Charles B. Hinternhoff
10. Hinsdale	1938	H. F. Mann
11. LaGrange	1939	Mrs. DeForest Sackett
12. Lombard	1940	George F. Bode
13. Prophetstown	1936	No elected officers
14. Riverside	1932	Mrs. Paul Weir
15. St. Charles	1939	Mrs. C. H. Lloyd
16. Wheaton	1933	Donald C. Burger
17. Henry County	1941	

COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY

Library	Date Group Began	President or Chairman
1. Bradley Polytechnic Institute	1936	
2. Knox College	1931	Edward Caldwell
3. University of Chicago	1934	M. Llewellyn Raney (Secretary)

ILLINOIS MEMBERS OF A. L. A. FRIENDS OF LIBRARY COMMITTEE

Helene H. Rogers, Illinois State Library, Springfield.
Carl B. Roden, Chicago Public Library, Chicago.

READING COURSE PROGRAM

Conducted by the Illinois State Library and the Following Public Libraries:

Algonquin	Dixon	Henry	Oglesby
Alton	Dundee	Jacksonville	Pekin
Atlanta	DuQuoin	Lewistown	Peoria
Barrington	Dwight	Lincoln	Rochelle
Barry	East Moline	Litchfield	Rock Falls
Cambridge	Edwardsville	Lockport	Rock Island
Casey	Evanston	Madison	Roodhouse
Champaign	Franklin Grove	Mattoon	Silvis
Charleston	Freeport	Moline	Sterling
Chicago	Galva	Monmouth	West Chicago
Clinton	Golconda	Mt. Vernon	West Frankfort
Collinsville	Granite City	Murphysboro	Wheaton
Danville	Harrisburg	Newton	Wood River
DeKalb			Zeigler

WPA LIBRARY SERVICE

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Mrs. Cecil W. Leader, State Supervisor
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Chicago

To reduce the number of people in Illinois not having access to public library facilities, the Work Projects Administration with the cooperation of the Illinois State Library, operated for the fifth consecutive year an average of 260 Library Centers throughout Illinois. For the most part these WPA Library Centers are located in small isolated communities, and are sponsored locally by active library committees. At year's end, these Library Centers were serving a total population of 246,021 and continued to circulate an average of 175,000 books each month.

In addition WPA supplied an average of 170 workers to public libraries and 47 to public school libraries to assist with clerical work in the extension of library services.

LIST OF LIBRARY CENTERS*

No.	Place	County	WPA Dist.	Ill. Region	No.	Place	County	WPA Dist.	Ill. Region
1	Altamont	Effingham	4	5	44	Cuba	Fulton	2	4
2	Apple River	Jo Daviess	1	1	45	Cutler	Perry	6	5
3	Arenzville	Cass	2	4					
4	Ashland	Cass	2	4	46	Dahlgren	Hamilton	5	6
5	Aviston	Clinton	6	5	47	Dallas City	Hancock	2	4
					48	DePue	Bureau	1	1
6	Baldwin	Randolph	6	5	49	Dix	Jefferson	6	6
7	Bardolph	McDonough	2	4	50	Divernon	Sangamon	2	4
8	Beaucoup	Washington	6	5	51	Dongola	Union	5	6
9	Beckemeyer	Clinton	6	5	52	DuBois	Washington	6	6
10	Belle Prairie	Hamilton	5	6	53	Dunlap	Peoria	2	4
11	Belle Rive	Jefferson	6	5	54	Dupo	St. Clair	6	5
12	Beverly	Adams	2	4					
13	Blandinsville	McDonough	2	4	55	East Dubuque	Jo Daviess	1	1
14	Blue Mound	Macon	4	3	56	Edinburg	Christian	4	3
15	Bluffs	Scott	2	4	57	Effingham	Effingham	4	5
16	Bluford	Jefferson	6	5	58	Elburn	Kane	1	2
17	Bradley	Kankakee	4	3	59	Elco	Alexander	5	6
18	Breese	Clinton	6	5	60	Elizabeth	Jo Daviess	1	1
19	Brighton	Macoupin	6	5	61	Elkville	Jackson	5	6
20	Broughton	Hamilton	5	6	62	Ellis Grove	Randolph	6	5
21	Brownstown	Fayette	6	5	63	Emden	Logan	2	4
22	Brussels	Calhoun	6	4	64	Emma	White	5	6
23	Bryant	Fulton	2	4	65	Enfield	White	5	6
24	Buckner	Franklin	5	6	66	Erie	Whiteside	1	1
25	Buffalo	Sangamon	2	4	67	Ewing	Franklin	5	6
26	Bureau	Bureau	1	1					
27	Burlington	Kane	1	2	68	Fairmont	Vermilion	4	3
28	Burnt Prairie	White	5	6	69	Findlay	Shelby	4	3
					70	Fisher	Champaign	4	3
29	Carrier Mills	Saline	5	6	71	Flanagan	Livingston	4	3
30	Chambersburg	Pike	2	4	72	Forrest	Livingston	4	3
31	Chana	Ogle	1	1	73	Fox Lake	Lake	1	1
32	Chandlerville	Cass	2	4	74	French Village (P. O. E. St. Louis)	St. Clair	6	5
33	Chatham	Sangamon	2	4					
34	Cisne	Wayne	5	6					
35	Clayton	Adams	2	4	75	Galatia	Saline	5	6
36	Cobden	Union	5	6	76	Garden Prairie	Boone	1	1
37	Coello	Franklin	5	6	77	Geff (P. O. Jeffersonville)	Wayne	5	6
38	Colchester	McDonough	2	4					
39	Colfax	McLean	4	3	78	German Valley	Stephenson	1	1
40	Cooksville	McLean	4	3	79	Gillespie	Macoupin	6	5
41	Cowden	Shelby	4	3	80	Gilson	Knox	2	4
42	Creal Springs	Williamson	5	6	81	Girard	Macoupin	6	5
43	Crossville	White	5	6	82	Glen Carbon	Madison	6	5

* As of April 30, 1941.

LIST OF LIBRARY CENTERS—Continued

No.	Place	County	WPA Dist.	Ill. Region
83	Good Hope	McDonough	2	4
84	Grand Chain	Pulaski	5	6
85	Green Valley	Tazewell	2	4
86	Greenview	Menard	2	4
87	Hampshire	Kane	1	2
88	Hartsburg	Logan	2	4
89	Herrick	Shelby	4	3
90	Hettick	Macoupin	6	5
91	Hidalgo	Jasper	4	5
92	Hindsboro	Douglas	4	3
93	Hull	Pike	2	4
94	Hunt	Jasper	4	5
95	Ina	Jefferson	6	5
96	Iola	Clay	4	5
97	Irvington	Washington	6	5
98	Iuka	Marion	6	5
99	Jonesboro	Union	5	6
100	Kaneville	Kane	1	2
101	Kaskaskia Is.	Randolph	6	5
102	Keenes	Wayne	5	6
103	Keithsburg	Mercer	1	4
104	Kellerville	Adams	2	4
105	Kenney	DeWitt	4	3
106	Keyesport	Clinton	6	5
107	Kinderhook	Pike	2	4
108	Kinmundy	Marion	6	5
109	Lansing	Cook	3	2
110	LaPrairie	Adams	2	4
111	Lebanon	St. Clair	6	5
112	Leland	LaSalle	1	1
113	Lemont	Cook	3	2
114	Liberty	Adams	2	4
115	Livingston	Madison	6	5
116	Loami	Sangamon	2	4
117	Logan	Franklin	5	6
118	Lovington	Moultrie	4	3
119	Lyons	Cook	3	2
120	Lorraine	Adams	2	4
121	Macedonia	Hamilton	5	6
122	Mackinaw	Tazewell	2	4
123	Macon	Macon	4	3
124	Manteno	Kankakee	4	3
125	Maple Park	Kane	1	2
126	Maquon	Knox	2	4
127	Marine	Madison	6	5
128	Marissa	St. Clair	6	5
129	Maroa	Macon	4	3
130	Mascoutah	St. Clair	6	5
131	Maunie	White	5	6
132	Mechanicsburg	Sangamon	2	4
133	Melvin	Ford	4	3
134	Mendon	Adams	2	4
135	Middletown	Logan	2	4
136	Midlothian	Cook	3	2
137	Mill Creek	Union	5	6
138	Millstadt	St. Clair	6	5
139	Modesto	Macoupin	6	5
140	Morton Grove	Cook	3	2
141	Mound City	Pulaski	5	6
142	Mount Erie	Wayne	5	6
143	Mount Olive	Macoupin	6	5
144	Mulkeytown	Franklin	5	6
145	Nameoki	Madison	6	5
146	Nashville	Washington	6	5
147	Nason	Jefferson	6	5
148	New Athens	St. Clair	6	5
149	New Baden	Clinton	6	5
150	New Berlin	Sangamon	2	4
151	Newark	Kendall	1	1
152	Newman	Douglas	4	3
153	Newmansville	Cass	2	4
154	Nilwood	Macoupin	6	5
155	Nokomis	Montgomery	6	5
156	Norris City	White	5	6
157	North Aurora	Kane	1	2
158	Oak Lawn	Cook	3	2
159	O'Fallon	St. Clair	6	5
160	Okawville	Washington	6	5
161	Olive Branch	Alexander	5	6
162	Olmstead	Pulaski	5	6
163	Opdyke	Jefferson	6	5
164	Oquawka	Henderson	2	4
165	Orchardville	Wayne	5	6
166	Orland Park	Cook	3	2
167	Palmyra	Macoupin	6	4
168	Palos Park	Cook	3	2
169	Panama	Bond	6	5
170	Patoka	Marion	6	5
171	Pawnee	Sangamon	2	4
172	Payson	Adams	2	4
173	Percy	Randolph	6	5
174	Plainville	Adams	2	4
175	Pleasant Hill (R. R. 2, Springfield)	Sangamon	2	4
176	Plymouth	Hancock	2	4
177	Potomac	Vermilion	4	3
178	Prairie City	McDonough	2	4
179	Prairie du Rocher	Randolph	6	5
180	Pulaski	Pulaski	5	6
181	Raum (P. O. Golconda)	Pope	5	6
182	Raymond	Montgomery	6	5
183	Ridgway	Gallatin	5	6
184	River Grove	Cook	3	2
185	Riverton	Sangamon	2	4
186	Robbs	Pope	5	6
187	Rockwood	Randolph	6	5
188	Rose Hill	Jasper	4	5
189	Roselle	DuPage	1	2
190	Rosiclare	Hardin	5	6
191	Royalton	Franklin	5	6
192	Sailor Springs	Clay	4	6
193	St. Anne	Kankakee	4	3
194	St. David	Fulton	2	4
195	Sand Hill (P. O. Springfield)	Sangamon	2	4
196	Sandusky	Alexander	5	6
197	Saybrook	McLean	4	3
198	Scales Mound	Jo Daviess	1	1
199	Schiller Park	Cook	3	2
200	Seneca	LaSalle	1	1
201	Sesser	Franklin	5	6
202	Shabbona	DeKalb	1	1
203	Shawneetown	Gallatin	5	6
204	Sherman	Sangamon	2	4
205	South Elgin	Kane	1	2
206	Sparta	Randolph	6	5
207	Springerton	White	5	6
208	Steeleville	Randolph	6	5
209	Steger	Cook	3	2
210	Stewardson	Shelby	4	3
211	Stonefort	Saline	5	6
212	Stronghurst	Henderson	2	4
213	Swanwick	Perry	6	5
214	Tallula	Menard	2	4
215	Tamms	Alexander	5	6
216	Thackeray	Hamilton	5	6
217	Thayer	Sangamon	2	4
218	Thebes	Alexander	5	6
219	Thompsonville	Franklin	5	6
220	Thornton	Cook	3	2
221	Tilden	Randolph	6	5
222	Tolono	Champaign	4	3
223	Towanda	McLean	4	3
224	Trenton	Clinton	6	5
225	Troy	Madison	6	5
226	Ullin	Pulaski	5	6

LIST OF LIBRARY CENTERS—Concluded

No.	Place	County	WPA Dist.	Ill. Region	No.	Place	County	WPA Dist.	Ill. Region
227	Valier	Franklin	5	6	239	Westmont	DuPage	1	2
228	Vermont	Fulton	2	4	240	West Point	Hancock	2	4
229	Victoria	Knox	2	4	241	Williamsfield	Knox	2	4
230	Villa Park	DuPage	1	2	242	Williamsville	Sangamon	2	4
231	Villa Ridge	Pulaski	5	6	243	Willisville	Perry	6	5
232	Viola	Mercer	1	4	244	Wilsonville	Macoupin	6	5
					245	Windsor	Shelby	4	3
233	Walnut	Bureau	1	1	246	Woodlawn	Jefferson	6	5
234	Waltonville	Jefferson	6	5	247	Worden	Madison	6	5
235	Wapella	DeWitt	4	3					
236	Wayne City	Wayne	5	6	248	Xenia	Clay	4	5
237	Waynesville	DeWitt	4	3					
238	West City	Franklin	5	6	249	Yale	Jasper	4	5

DISTRICT SUPERVISORS

WPA District	Supervisor	Headquarters Address
1	Fred A. Bestow	1329 Kishwaukee St., Rockford
2	Mildred Snyder	2200 N. Adams St., Peoria
3	Mrs. C. R. Steckmesser	Old Bloom Twp. High School, Chicago Heights
4	Dorthy Johnson	384 Cerro Gordo, Decatur
5	Katharine Hyatt	K. of P. Hall, McLeansboro
6	Mrs. Ara Atherton, Acting	8th and Broadway, E. St. Louis

Among those libraries in Illinois willing to extend service beyond the boundaries of their community are Jacksonville, which will serve any resident of Morgan County; Beardstown, which will serve any resident of Cass County; and Anna, an endowed library which serves Union County. The Chicago Public Library will serve any one in the metropolitan area.

ILLINOIS
WPA RURAL LIBRARY PROJECTS
STATISTICAL SUMMARY FOR CENTERS
(May 1, 1940—April 30, 1941)

Month	Stations	Population	Borrowers	Collection				Circulation			Employees		
				WPA	ISL	Contrib.	Total	Adult	Juvenile	Total	Relief	Non-relief	Total
May	279	259,337	88,862	82,170	14,911	156,485	253,566	83,012	65,325	148,337	1,043	50	1,093
June	279	258,867	89,898	81,354	13,402	160,455	255,211	79,922	59,730	139,652	912	44	956
July	271	255,419	88,183	80,716	12,495	159,214	252,425	87,324	57,486	144,720	898	43	941
August	265	251,669	90,914	81,564	10,194	159,247	251,005	94,343	56,210	150,553	904	44	948
September	262	249,910	90,011	80,909	10,642	156,660	248,211	75,544	46,175	121,719	871	45	916
October	258	250,512	92,978	82,004	11,069	157,310	250,383	84,037	59,143	143,180	921	45	966
November	257	248,629	94,137	79,218	10,532	158,513	248,263	82,474	58,111	140,585	959	45	1,004
December	256	246,021	94,017	87,367	11,199	163,894	262,460	79,541	48,826	128,367	1,012	44	1,056
January	258	247,519	87,783	87,405	10,958	168,196	266,559	101,283	59,137	160,420	1,023	47	1,070
February	257	246,667	78,866	88,388	10,695	165,929	265,012	88,689	57,000	145,689	1,038	48	1,086
March	259	246,675	81,444	89,080	9,720	169,608	268,408	85,849	61,236	147,085	986	45	1,031
April	253	252,223	83,958	89,511	9,941	170,779	270,231	69,496	49,441	118,940	878	47	925
Circulation for fiscal year										1,689,247			

MINIMUM RECOMMENDATIONS FOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL LIBRARIES

Suggested by the Office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction and the Illinois State Library

SIZE	BOOKS	ADMINISTRATION	BOOK APPROPRIATION	ORGANIZATION	EQUIPMENT
0-200 pupils	An average of 3-5 books per pupil with a minimum of 75 books per room. 3-5 periodicals.	Teacher-librarian or teacher interested in promoting the use of books. Opportunity daily for free reading. One hour to be allowed for the care of books.	Average annual expenditure 50c per pupil minimum, or $25 per room for 1-3 room schools. The American Library Association recommends $1 per pupil minimum.	Accession record, charging system, and lists of books posted in each room.	Open book shelves, one library table, and 3-6 chairs of proper height in each classroom.
200-500 pupils	An average of 3-5 books per pupil. 600-2,500 books well selected and in good condition. 5-10 different periodicals.	Teacher-librarian, with at least 6 semester hours of library science, who devotes a definite number of periods to the library each day while being relieved from other work.	Average annual expenditure, 50c per pupil minimum. $715 will provide a basic collection of about 500 books.	Accession record, shelf-list, card catalog, charging system, circulation record, and posted lists of books in classrooms.	Same as above for classrooms. For central library—open shelves, tables, chairs, card catalog, magazine rack, and bulletin board.
500-1,000 pupils	1,500-5,000 books well selected and in good condition. More than 10 different periodicals.	Well trained librarian or a teacher-librarian with at least 15 semester hours of library science.	Same as above.	Same as above.	Same as above for classrooms. For central library—open shelves, tables, chairs, card catalog, filing cabinet, magazine rack, bulletin board, and typewriter. Reading room large enough to seat 1½ times the average class.
1,000 or more pupils	3,000-5,000 or more books well selected and in good condition. 20 different periodicals.	Well trained librarian with satisfactory completion of at least 30 semester hours of study in a recognized library school, plus adequate clerical help.	Same as above.	Same as above.	Same as above for classrooms. For central library—same as above with reading room large enough to seat 10% of the enrollment, librarian's work room, conference room, and office in addition.